

Fair tonight and Saturday; continued cool; light variable winds.

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LOWELL, MASS. FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 1915

PRICE ONE CENT

RUSSIANS CONTINUE TO FALL BACK

PRES. WILSON THANKS GOVERNORS FOR SUPPORT

Sends Message to Conference—Preparedness Chief Topic of the Discussion

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—A message from President Wilson in reply to the telegram sent by the governors Tuesday was read when the conference re-assembled today. Addressing Governor Walsh, the president said:

"I deeply appreciate and am greatly heartened by the generous resolution of confidence and support passed by the governors in conference and beg

that you will convey to them my heartfelt thanks and my warmest wishes for a successful and profitable conference. I wish that I could bring the greeting in person."

Walsh Replies to Blessing

The speech yesterday of Cole L. Blessing, in which the former governor

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PETITIONS ARE OUT

"ASKING" MAYOR MURPHY TO RUN FOR A SECOND TERM IN VIOLATION OF HIS PROMISE

The last preliminary plan having been perfected by the announcement that a municipal band concert will be held in Park garden in Belvidere, on Sunday evening, thus completing the campaign of "squaring" the discontented ones, a number of petitions were put in circulation asking Mayor Murphy to be a candidate for a second term.

As was stated in The Spillbinder not long ago the petitions are being promoted by a mill agent and a bank man and strenuous efforts are being made to get signatures. Likewise are strenuous efforts being made to get Perry Thompson to keep out of the contest and all sorts of promises of support "two years hence" are being made to Mr. Thompson as an inducement to keep out. But as the petition asks the mayor to break a specific promise made two years ago, Mr. Thompson cannot be blamed if he takes a liberal amount of salt with the promises now being made to him.

Thus far there are more petitions out than signatures on them, for they have been circulated broadcast and any one may have one and start it himself. The body of the petition lashes the most fulsome praise on Mayor Murphy.

Meanwhile His Honor is at Kennebunk, blissfully ignorant, of course, of the second term "bunk" that is going the rounds at home.

A man went into a barroom this morning and after getting a drink the bartender passed out one of the petitions and asked the customer to sign it. The latter refused and criticized the bartender for offering him the petition. The latter informed him that he was told to ask for signatures and hence had to do it. Several of the petitions appeared in the down town hotels and hotels today, and it would appear that the promoters believe that the easiest way to get signatures is through the saloons.

One of the promoters who is circulating the petition informs those whom he asks to sign that there is no war will end some day—here's to the day—and when it is over, we'll all start life and living anew. Once again we may live as God intended man should live! Why not now prepare for that day? It will be very convenient to have some real money with which to begin the new life—it's the only wise way of day living. To those who have begun we say Continue! To those who are continuing otherwise, we say—Begin! Begin to Save! Money deposited now with

MIDDLESEX TRUST CO.

Cor. Merrimack and Palmer Sts.

Will commence earning interest on the last day of present month.

Tuesday, Aug. 31

WHO HAS THE LARGEST HANDS IN LOWELL?

Most assuredly the clock on the City Hall. There are very few hands in this city busy day and night. Yet it would be surprising if known how many people are busy most of the night at type setting and other work that cannot be done in the day time.

All over the United States there are hands making articles for our sales floors—good hands, strong hands, skilful hands, useful hands, never tiring, always earning, and many of them laying up something for the rainy day that we hope will never come to them.

CHALIFOUX'S

INFANT'S BODY FOUND

HAD BEEN LEFT ON ROADSIDE NEAR LAKEVIEW—HELPER THAT IT WAS STILL BORN

The body of a male infant wrapped up in a covering of sheeting, was found by a young man named Thomas Kennedy of Collinsville on the roadside leading to the old skating rink at Lakeview, directly opposite the entrance to Willow Dale shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. The infant was apparently dead when born. Kennedy immediately telephoned the news of his discovery to Clerk John Brennan of Collinsville who in turn notified Medical Examiner Meigs and the chairman of the selectmen, and an undertaker was sent out after the body.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

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25,000 ON STRIKE

South Wales Miners
Demand Lloyd George
Make Good Promise

LONDON, Aug. 27, 1.03 p. m.—Reports from the South Wales coal fields this afternoon state that 25,000 miners already have joined the new strike.

The recurrence of labor troubles is due to growing dissatisfaction with the award of W. Runciman, president of the board of trade, who was arbitrator in the recent strike. The situation was strained further when the colliers learned that Mr. Runciman had declined to see a deputation representing them.

The miners, through Mr. Runciman with going behind the arrangement made by David Lloyd George and demand that Mr. Lloyd George make good his promises to them.

Despatches from Cardiff at the time the strike was settled last month said that the terms accepted by the miners as a result of Mr. Lloyd George's trip to Wales provided for a substantial increase in wages and other concessions to the strikers which were considered by them as tantamount to an admission of their claims on nearly all the outstanding points. Mr. Lloyd George won the men over not only by promising concessions but emphasizing the fact that uninterrupted operations of the coal mines was highly essential to the conduct of the war.

Mr. Runciman's award contained wage concessions but rejected a number of demands relating to working conditions, hours of labor and arbitration arrangements.

VOTE TO STRIKE AGAIN

HOLYOKE CARMEN WANT CONTRACT FOR A YEAR ONLY—COMPANY SEEKS LONGER TIME

HOLYOKE, Aug. 27.—The Carmen's union voted last night to go on strike at midnight because the Holyoke Street Railway company refused to agree that the working contract to be made should be for one year only.

The strike is an offshoot of the one settled Aug. 15 after a week's duration. A special arbitration board was recently appointed and conferences have been held for the past few days to determine on what points the company and the employees could agree. These points on which they could not agree were to be submitted to this arbitration board at an early date.

John H. Reardon, for the Trolley-men's union, notified Pres. Louis D. Pellissier of the company yesterday, that unless the company agreed at once to make the proposed new working contract for one year only, a strike would be called.

A meeting of the directors was called late yesterday afternoon and the matter discussed. By the agreement of Aug. 15, matters in dispute were to be referred to a board of arbitration. This board consists of W. H. Brooks, selected by the company; Ex-Mayor White, selected by the trolley-men and Attorney Coter of Boston, selected by Governor Walsh.

The directors held that as the company desired a three-year contract and the trolley-men demanded a one-year contract, the time limit of the contract was properly a "matter in dispute." However, they were willing to submit to the arbitration board the question of whether the time limit of the contract was a matter to be arbitrated. The trolley-men declined to take this view and voted to strike.

State Commissioner Charles G. Wood, who was reached at his home in Concord last night, said that two members of the state board of arbitration would go to Holyoke today and begin an investigation. It is not certain whether further attempts to adjust the differences will be made by that body.

TRAFFIC TIED UP

HOLYOKE, Aug. 27.—The traction system of the Holyoke St. Railway Co. in this city and the neighboring town of Amherst was tied up for the second time this month by a strike of the 250 car men today. The men quit work because the company refused to consent to a working agreement of only one year's duration, company officials demanding that the agreement cover a period of three years. Arbitration of the question was refused by the employees.

A strike that lasted eight days was called on Aug. 7, the men finally returning to work after an agreement to arbitrate their demands for increased wages had been reached.

Extra trains were operated by the steam railway lines today to care for the suburban traffic.

WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Mrs. H. D. Hammond of Indianapolis was to defend her title today in the final round of the women's western golf championship tournament with Miss Elaine Resenthal of Chicago as her opponent. Mrs. Hammond is a veteran tournament player, while her opponent is having her first tournament experience.

WONDERFUL HOW RESINOL STOPS ITCHING

To those who have endured for years the itching torments of eczema or other such skin eruptions, the relief that the first use of Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap gives is perfectly incredible. After all the suffering they have endured and all the useless treatments they spent good money for, they cannot believe anything so simple, mild and inexpensive can stop the itching and burning INSTANTLY! And they find it still more wonderful that the improvement is permanent and that Resinol really drives away the eruption completely in a very short time. Perhaps there is a pleasant surprise like this in store for you. Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap are sold by all druggists. For trial free, write to Dept. 30-R, Resinol, Baltimore, Md. Excellent for sunburn.

\$3.50 and \$4.00
Queen Quality Pumps
Now \$3.00 Pair

The Bon Marche
DRY GOODS CO.

All Men's Regal
Oxfords at \$1.00 Less
Than Regular Price



A PRICE SMASHING SALE OF SUMMER WEARABLES and REQUISITES



SUITS THAT WERE \$20.00,
\$25.00, \$30.00, AT

\$6.97
—EACH—

About 30 smart new styles, some of the best of the season, but we do not intend to carry over any garments so we almost give them away.

Quick Clean Up of Dresses

\$6.00 to \$10.00
WHITE LINGERIE
DRESSES

\$3.87

All new this season and have been selling for \$5.98, \$7.98, \$9.98. All at one price.

ONE BIG LOT
OF DRESSES

That Were 98c, \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.98, All at

69c

These are Bargains. Come early.



WASH SKIRTS MUST GO

Your choice of any Wash Skirt in stock

\$1.87

Were \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$5.00

Real bargains. Many extra large sizes. Beautiful novelties, fine gabardine and imported cords. Come early.

All \$1.49 and \$1.98

WASH SKIRTS

87c

One price buys any Skirt in our stock that was \$1.49, \$1.98. Come early.

One Lot of Skirts

About 30 in all, were last season's skirts; sold for \$1.49, \$1.98; all at one price

47c



Cut
Prices
Now

Preserving Time
Necessities

At Cut Prices for Best Quality Goods

Mason Jars, porcelain lined tops—

Pints.....49c Dozen

Quarts.....59c Dozen

½ Gallon.....79c Dozen

"E. Z." Seal Jars, glass tops, wide mouth—

Pints.....69c Dozen

Quarts.....79c Dozen

½ Gallon.....\$1.10 Dozen

Jelly Tumblers, tin tops, 15c Dozen

"Fits-Em-All" Jar Rubbers, best quality.....10c Dozen

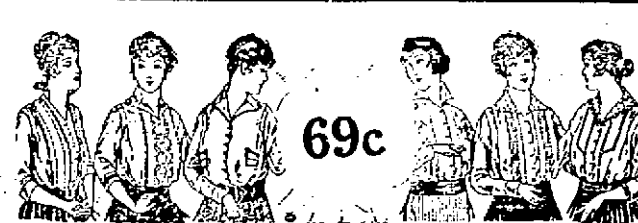
Mason Jar Caps, porcelain lined, 2c Each

Glass Jar Tops, wide mouth, 19c Dozen

Parowax for sealing jellies, 2c Cake

Waxed Paper Covers and Marking Labels, 100 in envelope, 10c

Economy Jar Caps.....19c Dozen



400 WAISTS

That Were \$1.00, All New This Season

69c

You know the kind of \$1.00 Waists we have been showing this season. Well what is left are going at.....69c

There will be a crowd. Come early.

Every Parasol

IN OUR STORE

MARKED LESS THAN COST

HOT
WEATHER
SPECIALS
IN TOILET
GOODS



At Prices That Show a Saving of 1-3

25c Peroxide of Hydrogen 14c—Full strength, best quality peroxide, 16 oz. bottle. Special at.....14c

23c Rubber Sponges 16c—Good quality red rubber sponges, oblong shape, large size. Special at.....16c

15c Talcum Powder 7c—Welch's Roman Talcum, Violet scent, large can. Special at.....7c

25c Rouge 14c—Dr. Meritt's Turkish Roseleaf Extract for tinting lips and cheeks, absolutely harmless. Special at.....14c Bottle

33c Pompeian Night Cream 29c—An excellent cold cream for improving the complexion over night. Special at.....29c Jar

29c Combs 14c—Pyralin Flexible Combs, in shell only, coarse or coarse and fine. Special.....14c

50c Liquid Powder 33c—"Derma Viva" well known liquid for whitening the skin. Special.....33c

19c Cap Nets 12c—A large human hair net, cap shape, in light, medium and dark shades. Special.....12c for 25c

19c Talcum Powder 11c—Armour's fine quality Talcum in violet, carnation and sandalwood scents. Special at.....11c

20c Bay Rum 11c—Rich's West Indian Bay Rum, warranted 15 per cent. alcohol. Special at.....11c

75c Toilet Water 55c—All high grade quality. Spieghler's, Hansen-Jenk's and Woodbury's, best floral odors. Special at.....55c

10c Bath Tablets 5c—Kirk's Bath Tablets in lilac, geranium and mint. Special at.....5c

GRANT 8-HOUR DAY NEW MAILING ORDER

SMITH AND EGGE MANUFACTURING CO. OF BRIDGEPORT ALSO CHANGES CONDITIONS

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 27.—Announcement by the Smith & Egge Manufacturing Co., metal workers, that it had granted the eight hour day to its 250 employees and formal presentation of demands for an eight hour day and other changes in working conditions at the Acme Shear Co., the Alb and E. Henkel Lace Co., and the American Chain Co. were developments in the strike situation here.

The striking employees of the La Resist Co. were expected to return to work today or tomorrow. The company agreed last night to the demands of the strikers but it was said that certain details remained to be settled before employees would return.

A notice posted at the plant of the Star Shirt Manufacturing Co. announced the closing of the shops indefinitely.

Numerous meetings of strikers were arranged for the day. Tonight, the strikers at the Canfield Rubber Co. and the employees of the H. O. Canfield Co., rubber goods makers, will have a meeting to discuss general conditions.

Thomas H. Flynn, a general organizer for the American Federation of Labor, has been delegated to organize the rubber workers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun's "Want" column.

REGISTRATION FEE FOR FOURTH CLASS MATTER ARRANGED BY POSTMASTER GENERAL

The following order relative to a change in postal rates will be put into effect Sept. 1:

Fourth-class mail shall not be registered, but may be insured against

loss in an amount equivalent to its actual value, but not to exceed \$5 in any one case, on payment of a fee of three cents; not to exceed \$25 on payment of a fee of five cents; not to exceed \$50 on payment of a fee of ten cents, or not to exceed \$100 on payment of a fee of 25 cents, in addition to the postage, both to be prepaid by stamps affixed; but indemnity will not be allowed in cases of loss of such mail addressed to the Philippine Islands, unless the loss occurred in the postal service of the United States.

Forty out of every 100 women in Massachusetts work for a living.

Women can not vote at all municipal elections in Fellsmead, Fla.

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New York women members quit

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with you when Yachting, Camping, Motoring, Fishing, or Golfing. A nutritious, satisfying Food-Drink ready in a moment. A good light lunch when tired or run down. Simply dissolve in water, hot or cold. A fine night's rest is assured if you take a cupful hot before retiring. Our Lunch Tablets are the name of convenient nourishment. Dissolve a few in the mouth when fatigued or hungry. Sample free, HORLICK'S, Racine, Wis. No Substitutes "Just as Good" as HORLICK'S, the Original

16 Qts. = 1 Pkge.

Sea Moss Farine

costs but little. Only a spoonful, 1c., needed for dessert for six persons. 25c. pkge. at Grocers, or by mail. SAMPLE FREE. 42 South Fifth St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

FRENCH BANKERS COMING

TO JOIN BRITISH AGENTS IN NEW YORK TO CONSIDER CREDIT BALANCES

PARIS, Aug. 27, noon.—Octave Homberg, of the foreign office and Ernest Mallet, regent of the Bank of France, have been designated by the finance minister, Alexandre Ribot, as the French delegates who are to join British representatives in New York early next month to consider the best means of obtaining French and British credit balances in the United States to stabilize the exchange rates. M. Ribot gave them their instructions today and they are to depart for the United States on Monday.

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EMERSON LOSES ARM

Portland Brakeman Knocked Off Car in Railroad Yards at Brunswick, Maine

BRUNSWICK, Me., Aug. 27.—Albion I. Emerson of Portland, a brakeman on a freight train, was riding on the side of a car preparatory to pulling a coupling pin, as the train passed through the Brunswick station, yesterday noon. He failed to notice a standpipe and was knocked off. The wheels passed over his right arm, which had to be amputated just above the elbow.

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Hamilton Hotel

LYNN, MASS.

E. D. CUSHING, Prop.

Half minute walk from Boston & Maine station and Central square, 3 minutes' walk from Narrow Gauge, 5 minutes' walk to Lynn Beach, 7 minutes' car ride to Revere. Cafe connected a la carte.

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SURPRISE PARTY HELD

MRS. DURANT OF SUMMER ST. PRESENTED TESTIMONIAL PROGRAM BY SOUTH END CLUB

Mrs. Thomas Durant of 141 Summer street, at whose residence the members of the South End club have been royally entertained on several occasions, was given a very pleasant surprise last evening when the members of this well known organization called at her home and presented her a beautiful going-away gift. The presentation speech was made by Mr. William Gargan, who spoke in glowing terms of Mrs. Durant's many excellent qualities. Mrs. Durant, who was under the impression that a rehearsal of the minstrel troupe was to be held at her home, was taken completely by surprise and it was several minutes before she was able to thank her friends for the handsome testimonial. Following the presentation, an appetizing supper was served, with James Boland, manager of Pitts' Auto Supply, as the efficient master of ceremonies. In opening the exercises Mr. Boland made a witty speech thanking all for their presence. The first called upon the minstrel troupe to entertain with some of the selections they have given so artistically at their recent performances and the following, under the direction of Edward "Tip" Hildley, responded: Messrs. John Quinn, Walter Clough, John Donnelly, Thos. Bodkins, Walter Lyons, George Fox, William Howe, Reginald Maguire, John Roane, Jr., William Devine, Mr. Ginty and Danahy Jack McAdams.

Danahy O'Don, William McLoughlin and John Roane, Jr., all endowed with artistic ability, sang "When I Leave the World Behind," and so sweetly was the beautiful number given that it brought down the plaudits of the entire assembly and the contributors were obliged to respond to several encores. Walter Clough gave his solo, "When Irish Eyes are Smiling," and like her predecessors, he was called back to give an encore. Danahy Jack McAdams, George Fox and William Howe made a hit when they sang "If You Can't Get a Girl in the Summer-time," and they were obliged to give a number of encores. "Spanish Main" by William Devine was a number pleasingly given as were the other selections by the members. The evening closed with chorus singing by the entire minstrel troupe.

SENATOR SHIVELY ILL

IS CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS AND MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS



SENATOR B.F. SHIVELY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Information was received in Washington that Senator Benjamin M. Shively of Indiana, chairman of the committee on pensions and second ranking member of the committee on foreign relations, is seriously ill at Brookville, Jefferson county, Pa., the former home of Mrs. Shively. Mr. Shively has been ill for a long time. He left Washington on May 11 to enter an sanatorium in New York city and remained there until July 1, when he went to Brookville, much improved in health. Recently he suffered a return of his ailment, a septic form of diabetes, and the accounts reaching Washington represent him as being in a dangerous condition. Senator Shively's home is in South Bend. He served several terms in the national house of representatives as a democrat, but was in private life for years before he was elected to the senate in 1910. He was re-elected last year for another term of six years.

MUST STAND BY FLAG

GOV. ALEXANDER MAKES IMPRESSIVE SPEECH BEFORE JEWISH CITIZENS OF GREATER BOSTON

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—Faneuil hall was crowded last evening by the Jewish citizens of Greater Boston, the occasion being a reception tendered Gov. Moses Alexander of Idaho who is attending the governors' conference. Every seat on the floor and balcony was occupied and many were permitted to stand in back of the balcony, and the overflowed the street in front of the hall was equal to the crowd within.

Gov. Alexander made an enthusiastic address in which he told of the opportunities in this land and urged the Jews to all become American citizens and be prepared to fight for the flag if ever needed defense.

It was a very patient and enthusiastic crowd in the hall, for it was fully one hour and a half after the stated time for the opening of the meeting before the chairman, Nathan A. Heller, appeared upon the platform.

The first upon the platform were the presiding officers, Congressman Richard Olney, 2nd, and the chairman had begun his opening address when the other speakers arrived.

The march into the hall was led by Max Mitchell and Isaac Heller, president of the Hebrew Immigration Aid society, under whose auspices the meeting was held, followed by Governor Walsh and Gov. Alexander, who were escorted by five of the Massachusetts governor's staff. In turn came Postmaster William F. Murray, Judge Logan of South Boston, Congressman Peter F. Tague, Hon. John F. McDonald, Adm. John C. Coffey, and Congressman James A. Gallivan.

Chairman Nathan A. Heller opened the meeting with an address, in which he spoke of the loyalty of the Jewish people and the part played by them in this country.

Gov. Walsh delivered an address, which was continually interrupted by cheering. Gov. Walsh stated that he was glad to welcome Gov. Alexander to Massachusetts and spoke highly of its Jewish citizenship. At the close of his address the governor left the hall to attend another reception, and the large crowd on the street held him up and compelled him to deliver another short address.

The speakers who followed Gov. Walsh in the hall were Postmaster Murray, Congressman Tague, Congressman Olney, Isaac Isaacs, ex-assistant district attorney of Suffolk county, and Congressman Gallivan.

19 SHIPS SUNK IN WEEK

BRITISH MERCHANTMEN WITH A TOTAL TONNAGE OF 76,000 SENT TO BOTTOM

LONDON, Aug. 27.—During the week ending Aug. 25, 19 British merchant vessels with a total tonnage of 76,000, and three fishing vessels, were destroyed by submarines or mines. The week was one of the most successful the German underwater craft have had since the commencement of the war.

Fourteen steamers with a total gross tonnage of 47,636 were sunk by German submarines Aug. 19 and 20. The largest was the Arabic, Ton of these vessels were British and four sailed under neutral flags.

MATRIMONIAL

Cook-Thompson
George Owen Cook and Miss Louise Thompson were married Aug. 19 at Nashua, N. H. The couple were attended by Miss Margaret Cook, sister of the bridegroom and Martin Kinar, who acted as bride and best man respectively. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will be at home to their friends at 132 Lawrence street after Sept. 1.

SEARCH FOR MISSING LINER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The collier Jupiter has been ordered from Vera Cruz to Alacran reef, about in the center of the Gulf of Mexico, in search of the missing United Fruit company's liner Marowine. The gunboat Sacramento is searching from New Orleans to the reef and the Marietta from Haiti also will touch at the reef on the way north in an effort to sweep the gulf for a trace of the missing vessel. The Marowine is 13 days overdue from British Honduras.

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STILL HINT COMPULSION

EARL OF SELBORNE SAYS MORE MEN MUST JOIN THE ARMY, VOLUNTARILY OR COMPULSORILY

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Something in the nature of compulsion, though the term was not employed, was fore-shadowed by the Earl of Selborne, president of the board of agriculture, in an address yesterday afternoon to a deputation of agricultural landowners which visited him in London.

"Many more men have to join the army, whether voluntarily or compulsorily," said the earl. "The agricultural laborer has done his part nobly in this war, but the response has been very unequal over the country and I forecast that during the next year men will be taken from districts and farms whence hitherto they have not gone."

"What I shall aim at—and Earl Kitchener has been very sympathetic—is to leave the farmer his foreman, stockman, carters and shepherds, but the rest of the work will have to be done by women or men not hitherto engaged in agriculture."

Earl Selborne emphasized the fact that Russia's reserves had imposed a greater strain on her allies.

"We have a greater burden on our shoulders at the present moment than six months ago," he said. "The financial strain is going to be very great, and the situation is going to demand from every class greater and greater sacrifices."

The speaker stated that the navy had the submarine menace well in hand.

In the light of the country's experience with submarines, however, the agricultural and economic policy of Great Britain, including the broad questions of food production, would have to be revised, he continued. The committee which he had appointed to deal with increasing the food supply had recommended that farmers should be guaranteed \$11.25 per quarter for wheat, beginning with the harvest of 1919 and continuing until 1920.

In view of circumstances connected with the war, however, Lord Selborne added, the government had decided that it would not incur the additional financial liability involved in the guarantee of arrangements, however made, to supply farmers with labor.

BERLIN OFFICIAL REPORT

RUSSIAN FORTRESS OF OLITA, ON NIEMEN RIVER, SOUTH OF KOVNO, EVACUATED

BERLIN, Aug. 27, via London, 3.30 p. m.—The Russian fortress of Olita on the Niemen river, 30 miles south of Kovno, has been evacuated. Official announcement to this effect was made here today.

The text of the statement by German army headquarters follows:

"Western theatre of war: In Champagne and in the Meuse hills, French trench works were destroyed by mine explosions. In the Vosges a weak advance by the French was easily repulsed."

"Eastern theatre of war: Army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg: Battles at Bausk and at Schoenberg, southeast of Mlawa, and in the region east of Kovno, continue. We took 2450 Russian prisoners and four cannon and three machine guns were captured."

"Southeast of Kovno, the enemy was defeated. The fortress of Olita has been evacuated by the Russians and was occupied by us."

"Further south German troops are advancing toward the Niemen. The crossing over the Beresovka tributary east of Ossowetz has been won. The pursuit is being carried on along the entire front between the Bobr and Suchawola on the Beresovka and in the Blowliez forest. On the 25th and 26th the army of Gen. von Gallwitz took 3500 prisoners and captured five machine guns."

The army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria is continuing its course. Its right wing has reached a point northeast of Kamien-Litovsk.

"Army group of Field Marshal von Mackensen: Northeast of Brest-Litovsk our troops are approaching the high road from Kamien-Litovsk. Southeast of Brest-Litovsk the enemy was driven back across the tributary of the Rytla."

FORMER LOWELL WOMAN DEAD

WESTMINSTER, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Mary Mossman, aged 64, widow of Dr. Alvaro Mossman, died yesterday at the Henry Heywood Memorial hospital in Gardner. She was born in Trowbridge, England, and daughter of St. Mathew and Ruth Heath Cote. She was a member of the First Baptist church of Lowell, Massachusetts, and of the W. R. C. She leaves three sons, Benjamin of Muskegon, Okla.; Willard of Alpena, Mich.; Dr. George Mossman of Westminster, and three daughters, Mrs. L. D. Rice of Medford and the Misses Ada and Lois Mossman of Westminster.

REFUGEE FROM HOLY LAND

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The scout cruiser Chester has left Beirut, Syria, with 450 refugees from the Holy Land, according to a report today to the navy department. No details were given. She has previously carried refugees to points of safety.

PRES. WILSON WALKS TO BANK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—President Wilson walked through the business section of Washington today, going to his bank. He was recognized frequently and returned many bows.

DEATHS

MONAHAN—Mrs. Elizabeth Monahan, aged 62 years, died yesterday afternoon at the Chelmsford Street hospital. She leaves her husband, William, and one daughter, Theresa Monahan. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

PATROUILAS—Vasilios Patroullas, son of Nicholas and Aphrodite, died this morning at the home, 102 Jefferson street, aged 10 months.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MADIGAN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Madigan will take place on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 275 Summer street. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Monahan will take place on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services will be held at St. Peter's church at 1.30 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

TOMPKINS—The funeral of Samuel J. Tompkins will take place tomorrow morning from his home, 316 Fairmount street at 9 o'clock. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Friends are kindly requested not to send flowers.

RODDY—The funeral of Thomas Roddy will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his parents, Charles and Bridget Roddy, 99 Fulton street. Funeral high mass at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

FUNERALS

ANASTASIO—The funeral of Maria J. Anastasio took place yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of her parents, John and Ludovica Anastasio, 2 Charles Street, corner of St. Anthony's church. Services were held at St. Anthony's church. Rev. Joseph A. Aparicio officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SUMORES—The funeral of Manuel Sumores took place yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of his parents, Carlos and Virginia Sumores, 63 Hanover street. Burial was in the Westlawn cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

WILCOX—Funeral services for William W. Wilcox were held yesterday afternoon at the grave in the Edison cemetery conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham St. P. M. church. Young & Blake were the undertakers.

FLEMING—The funeral of Rita Claire Fleming was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, James H. and Mary Fleming, 41 Rock street. Among the floral offerings were the following: Pillow inscribed "Our Baby," parents; crescent on base, inscribed "Our Niece," Mr. and Mrs. John Quinley and family, and tributes from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming, Mary Fleming, Lillian Fleming, Theresa Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Donnell, Helen Quinn, Mrs. Reynolds and family, Mrs. Boland and family, Patrick Coyle and family, Mrs. Flinders and daughter, Anna Mooney, Mrs. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Osborn, Mary Ash, Sarah Riley, Mrs. Mooney, Mrs. Bourke, William J. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McElroy. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of the Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

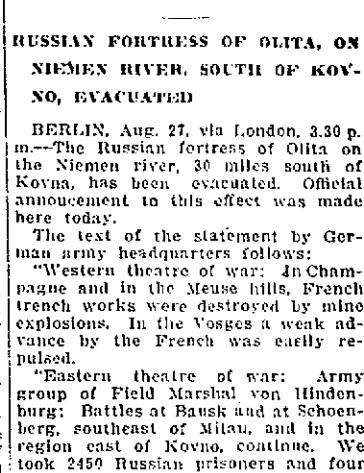
BARTLEY—The funeral services of Mary Ann Bartley were held yesterday afternoon at the home of Under-

BISHOP HEFFRON SHOT

ASSAILANT ARRESTED—SHOT ONCE THROUGH THE RIGHT LUNG AND ONCE IN THE HIP

WINONA, Minn., Aug. 27.—Right Rev. Patrick E. Heffron, bishop of the Winona Roman Catholic diocese, was shot and seriously wounded today by Rev. Fr. Al Lescher, an ex-priest, for whom the bishop had refused to procure an appointment. The bishop was shot once through the right lung and once in the hip. Physicians said he would recover unless complications set in. Fr. Lescher was arrested.

CHEERS SOULS OF SOLDIERS DURING LULL IN THE TRENCH WARFARE



LULL IN WAR. JEAN AMUSES HIMSELF

THE VALUE OF MUSIC

PARIS, Aug. 27.—French army officers of all ranks know the value of music in cheering up the souls of their men wearied by the warfare in the trenches, and the soldiers are encouraged, in the lulls in the fighting, to exhibit whatever musical talent they possess. One of them was observed and photographed recently while eliciting from a cornet sounds that were more or less musical.



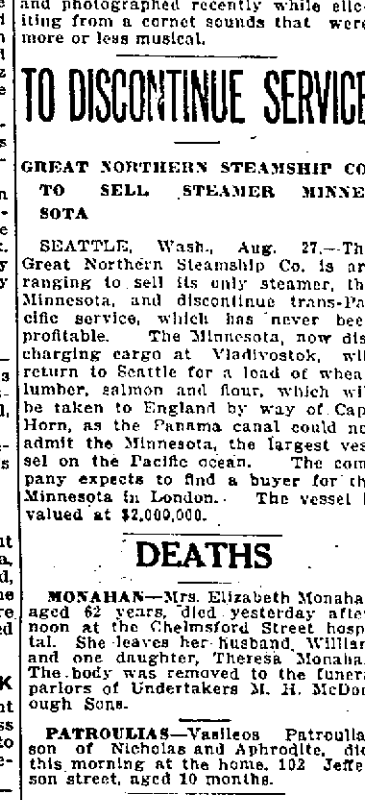
TO DISCONTINUE SERVICE

GREAT NORTHERN STEAMSHIP CO. TO SELL STEAMER MINNESOTA

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 27.—The Great Northern Steamship Co. is arranging to sell its only steamer, the Minnesota, and discontinue trans-Pacific service, which has never been profitable. The Minnesota, now discharging cargo at Vladivostok, will return to Seattle for a load of wheat, lumber, salmon and flour, which will be taken to England by way of Cape Horn, as the Panama canal could not admit the Minnesota, the largest vessel on the Pacific coast. The company expects to find a buyer for the Minnesota in London. The vessel is valued at \$2,000,000.

RETRIEVING SPENT TORPEDOES

PERILOUS SIDE LINE OF WAR



CAPTURING A SPENT TORPEDO

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Risking their lives not in battle, but in an interesting "side line" of the business of war, British sailors almost literally take their lives in their hands when they retrieve the spent German torpedoes, which fail to find their marks. Not all of the kaiser's submarine missiles reach their targets, although the general aim is deadly. When the propulsive force is spent the torpedo floats on the surface, but the explosive war head, sensitive to shock, remains. The illustration shows how such a torpedo is handled.

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are now	
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are now	
\$12.75 and \$15 Suits	\$8.75
are now	
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Boys' Clothes

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Were \$5, \$6, \$6.50, now

NORFOLK SUITS — \$5.75
Were \$7, \$8, \$8.50, now

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LOWELL'S BIG STORE
American House Block Central and Warren Streets

FALENTIN—The funeral of Edward Falentin took place from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Falentin, 152 Lakeview avenue yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, pastor of Centralville M. E. church. Miss Louise Jackson and Miss Isabel Hoole sang "Saved by Grace" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." The bearers were Messrs. C. Peters, R. Fox, E. Pelow, J. Weisner, Franklin and E. Weisner. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the burial service was read by Mr. Pittenger. Among the floral offerings were: Pillow inscribed "Edward," family and Mr. and Mrs. Strobel; wreath on base, John McInerney, Joseph O'Leary, John Cassidy, Thomas McManus, Thos. O'Brien, pillow inscribed "Sad Hour," employees of Boot mills; and tributes from J. McManus, Mr. and Mrs. John Falentin, Mrs. Lemke and family, Mrs. P. McNeilly, friends of Massachusetts, and family, the German club, Ralph Adie, Elwood Adie, William Goslop, Carl Wolm, B. McMahon. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

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A LIVELY FOSS RALLY

"DRINK NEVER HURT ANYONE,"
DECLARES LIQUOR AGENT—"YOU
LOOK IT," REPLIED FOSS

BROCKTON, Aug. 27.—The two-day preliminary Cape Cod campaign of former Governor Eugene N. Foss for the republican nomination for Governor came to a close at Brockton, when 300 people listened to and applauded the prohibition sentiments of the former head executive of the state.

Eight times during the day Mr Foss had held fairly well attended rallies. But one of these stood head and shoulders above the rest and it occurred at Onset.

At Onset the former governor launched prohibition theories with a bang. Perhaps he talked for a full minute. He said that liquor was a poison, that it was harmful to all mankind, that efficiency suffered because of its use, and other things.

And all the while he was talking, a big shouldered man—his name was E. J. Gray, salesman for the Massachusetts Breweries, was getting mad and red in the face, down near the hood of the automobile.

"You're a —" suddenly shouted Gray, unable to restrain himself longer. Foss stopped in his speech and laughed heartily.

"It don't hurt a man to drink liquor," roared Gray, coming up close to the side of the speaker. "I have drunk a whiskey and seltzer every day for the past 25 years, and it never hurt me."

Foss laughed again. You look it," he shouted back.

"Well, you look like an old dyed dodger," fumed Gray now worked up to a high pitch. "What were you doing down to Sandwich last night, Foss? You were at a beer party, that's what you were."

Some of the crowd laughed, while others cried. "Give him a chance—give him a chance."

"Say, what's your business," suddenly shouted Foss, losing his smile just for a moment.

"I'm in the liquor business," came the answer.

"I thought so," chuckled Foss—"You see, ladies and gentlemen what I say on prohibition is beginning to pinch—its beginning to pinch."

The crowd was in an uproar. Gray continued to assail Foss. One man shouted above the cries for fair play, for Foss to come over with the inside facts about his strike at the Becker Milling company.

And all the while Foss sat on about the curse of liquor, amid the antagonistic and friendly jabber and shouts.

Once he stopped, realizing his words

couldn't be heard, and smilingly remarked:

"Oh, I'm enjoying all this as much as you are."

"Don't let 'em get your goat, Gene," shouted a callow youth from somewhere in the crowd.

"Don't worry about that," shouted Foss in answer his face one broad grin. "I've been through this thing before."

Again he sailed in and gradually the talk subsided and he had his audience listening attentively. The biggest majority of them applauded him heartily at the close.

JAPAN RUSHES PLANS

TO UTILIZE ALL AVAILABLE
MEANS FOR INCREASING PRO-
DUCTION OF WAR SUPPLIES

TOKIO, Aug. 27.—The decision of the government to utilize all available means for increasing the production of war munitions for the allies, particularly Russia, has aroused the greatest enthusiasm. Army officers of high rank are arranging the details with manufacturers preparatory to enlarging arsenals and factories.

It is understood that France and England have guaranteed payment for these supplies.

THREE BITTEN BY DOG

ANIMAL OWNED BY FRANK SWIS-
TAK KILLED—GIRL IN SERIOUS
CONDITION AT ATTLEBORO

ATTLEBORO, Aug. 27.—A dog owned by Frank Swistak of Phillips street, was killed by the police yesterday after it had bitten three persons.

The animal first bit its owner in the hand and arm. It next bit Joseph Swistak, a boy, on the right wrist. The third victim was little Agnes Mitchell, who was bitten through the nose and on the left arm.

Dr. W. E. Rounseville attended the victims and said the condition of the little girl is serious.

Several dogs in the neighborhood were placed under quarantine.

CARD OF THANKS
The undersigned wish to express their heartfelt thanks to relatives and friends who so generously lent their assistance during their recent bereavement, also to all who sent floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mack,
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Phelps,
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLaughlin
and Family.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

Twenty-five years married and twenty-five years in one place of employment is the record of Mr. Bernard F. Burns, of High street, at least it will be one week hence for the 25th anniversary of the wedding falls one week from today, Sept. 3. The happy event of a quarter of a century ago was described by the old Sun as follows:

"Bernard F. Burns and Miss Mary A. Quinn were married Wednesday at the Immaculate Conception church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. Mr. Michael Burns, brother of the groom, was the best man, and Miss Mary J. Miles was bridesmaid. Mrs. Burns is employed at Farrell and Conston's shop and is a prominent member of the Mathew Temperance Institute, of which he is marshal. Miss Quinn is a member of the firm of Miles and Quinn, fashionable dressmakers, in Merrimack street.

At 7 o'clock on Wednesday morning, a nuptial mass was celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church, by Rev. Fr. Burns. The wedding reception was held at the bride's residence, 61 High street and was very largely attended. Many beautiful presents were received.

Mrs. Burns gave a marble-top chamber set; the groom's brother, a range; the bride's mother, a sitting room set; her father, a dining room set; Miss Minnie Lee, a sideboard and there was a large collection of china and glassware, couches, rockers, etchings and other articles from the Mathew Temperance Institute. The groom's gifts to the bride consisted of a piano and a set of diamonds. Johnson's orchestra was in attendance and William B. McAlloon presided at the piano. The McCaffery quartet gave several selections and a delightful evening was enjoyed. The happy young couple departed on the 2:25 train for Providence, Newport and New York. D. L. Page catered."

Mr. and Mrs. Burns are at present enjoying a vacation at the beach, preparatory to the observance of their silver wedding anniversary. Mr. Burns is still in the employ of Farrell and Conston, and is also with Billy McAlloon continues to manipulate the fivories in expert manner but the famous McCaffery quartet is no more. It isn't often that one family will produce a quartet of talented singers, of mixed voices, but the McCaffery family of Belvidere had the talent. The quartet was organized for the amusement of the family but its fame extended beyond the family circle and it was in demand at social gatherings in the city. It was not always available, however, for the leading spirit of the organization, Mr. "Dad" McCaffery, was on the road most of the time being a well known professional singer and comedian. "Dad" was with the famous Bostonians when that aggregation held first place among the English opera companies of the country and he was also in the cast of the Dazler company, when that company was at the height of its popularity. Dan is now located in Lawrence and at the banquet of the Y. M. C. I., some few months ago he was one of the old timers who sang, and he's there with the goods today. He sang for the McCaffery quartet and his talented sister, Margaret McCaffery, afterward Mrs. Flanagan, whose untimely death some years ago broke up the combination, was the soprano. Margaret McCaffery was one of Lowell's leading soprano singers and was the soloist at the Immaculate Conception church for a number of years. Miss Catherine McCaffery sang contralto and Mr. John McCaffery, was the baritone. The last named is at present a member of the Immaculate Conception choir.

Swimming at Lakeview
Next Saturday or some day soon Michael Whinn and Mary are to give an exhibition of their prowess in the waters of Lake Mascuppie, at Lakeview. Quarter of a century ago next Saturday, the enterprising street railway company had a lady swimmer to entertain the crowd, for Miss Cora Beckwith, who at that time was famed all over the country as America's champion female swimmer, honored Lowell with her presence. Annette Kellerman and Rose Pifonoff hadn't appeared on the crest of the wave in those days and Cora Beckwith was the undisputed champion mermaid outside of the story-books.

The Superior Court
The September session of the superior court quarter of a century ago opened with the late Judge Dunbar, an uncle of Lawyer Frank E. Dunbar, on the bench. Judge Dunbar was a noted jurist and he left behind a worthy nephew to perpetuate the family name. In the law, Rev. Dr. Greene, the venerable pastor-emeritus of the Elliot church, but at that time its active pastor, gave the opening prayer, a duty which he performed for many terms, being succeeded some years ago by Rev. Mr. Matthews who officiates at the present time. Among the jurors selected from Lowell or its neighborhood were the following: Hiram P. Egan, Ellwood; Clinton Bruce (foreman); Lowell: John Cunningham, Chelmsford; Jonas C. Kendall, Dunstable; George H. Noble, Lowell; Charles H. Parker, Billerica. The late Nathan D. Pratt and Judge Fred Fisher were the opposing attorneys in the opening case.

New Court of Foresters
A new court of Foresters organized in this city quarter of a century ago took its name after the lamented John Doyle O'Reilly, who had passed away only a few weeks before. The court was organized by the late Joseph Dalagher, who at that time was a past chief ranger and one of the most enthusiastic Foresters in Lowell. Dr. Frank McAvine was appointed the court physician. The court met in Hilberian hall.

Changes in Caucus Methods
Quarter of a century ago the republican city committee at its regular meeting had a lively discussion as to whether the Australian ballot should be used in the local republican caucuses. The Australian ballot was brand new in those days and many of the polls distiked the new order of things. It was voted at this meeting to give the ward committee in each ward full power to use the Australian ballot or not as the caucus demanded. The Australian ballot came into vogue a quarter of a century ago and has remained for it was a big improvement over the old system. In those days its other name was the "secret" ballot, because none could tell for whom a voter was going to express a preference, whereas under the old system his choice was known by the ballot he carried in his hand. This fall the caucus system is to be entirely changed again for on Sept. 21, the party caucuses will be totally abolished. All parties will appear on one ballot and none henceforth will know for what party candidates the voter is to mark his ballot.

Say of Day
Judging from the following item in The Sun of quarter of a century ago

the clerks in the assessors' office didn't get any great amount of pay for their services, for the old Sun says:

"At a joint meeting of the committee on finance and accounts Wednesday afternoon, the following assistant clerks of the board of assessors were elected: Michael H. McCue, Duane P. Stacey, Fred G. Milliken. Mr. McCue is an old clerk of the board and was formerly an assessor. The same pay as last year was voted the assistants—\$1.75 per day."

It might be difficult to get clerks to work for that figure these days.

Before White Way Days
Says the old Sun:
"Owing to an accident at the electric lighting station, the lights were out for a portion of Monday evening."

Mr. John A. Hunsnewell was not the manager in those days, and hence cannot be held responsible.

But a little matter of lights being out at night was nothing extraordinary in the old days. Up to the late Mayor Howe's time, I believe it was the custom had been for years not to light certain street lamps at all on moonlight nights. It saved money for the city and would have been a good thing if some arrangement could have been made to keep the moon on the job on scheduled nights. But like many another person at all reliable and some nights as you went for a stroll after dark he'd be heading down upon you and then would hike behind a cloud, and you'd be obliged to light matches to find your way home.

THE OLD TIMER.

MAN STRAPPED TO TREE

MRS. LELAND AND SONS HOLD AL-
LEGED THIEF FOR THE POLICE—
SPEED BOAT STOLEN

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 27.—The speed boat Reliance, the property of Hermann Oelrichs, valued at \$4000, and capable of 35 knots, was removed from its moorings at the shipyard yesterday morning.

Mr. Oelrichs used the boat Wednesday afternoon and securely moored it. Yesterday morning, when the crew went to prepare the Reliance for the day's use, it was gone.

The police received word from Beach Park, Clinton, Conn., yesterday afternoon, the missing boat came to the place out of order. The man operating the boat asked for assistance. Mrs. Leland, standing on a piazza, being suspicious, summoned her two sons, strapped the man to a tree, called the sheriff, who came and placed the stranger under arrest.

Inspector Palmer has gone to Clinton for the man.

FEWER MISHAPS
Good Suggestions are
Offered in Report of
Accident Board

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—The Industrial accident board has prepared a special study, covering 48 places of employment and 55,587 employees, which shows that, as a result of its accident prevention propaganda, a reduction of 4.1 per cent in the amount of compensation paid has been accomplished. The study compares two different six-month periods, July 1, 1913, to Dec. 31, 1913, and July 1, 1914, to Dec. 31, 1914, and indicates that employers of labor have within their power the ability to keep rates of compensation insurance down to a low level by co-operating with the industrial accident board in its general safety work, that is, the forming of safety shop organizations and the adoption of the recommendations of its inspectors to guard danger points.

Over \$7,000,000 was paid out in compensation benefits for the three years ending June 30, 1915. Taking the percentage figure indicated by this study as the proportion of the payments which could have been saved by the adoption of the board's safety propaganda, \$2,370,000 was expended unnecessarily in compensating the victims of industrial accidents. In other words, if employers as a group co-operated with the state board, rates of insurance could be lowered in large degree and the workers of the state would be spared the loss of wages and the economic loss and physical suffering which comes as the result of needless injuries.

The study shows that during the period from July 1, 1913, to Dec. 31, 1913, which will hereafter be referred to as "Group 1," the 48 employers reported 2403 accidents, as against 1901 for the corresponding period in 1914, which will be referred to hereafter as "Group 2." The difference in favor of Group 2 is 502. The number of disability cases reported in Group 1 was 1135 against 907 in Group 2; a difference of 228. There were 422 compensation cases in Group 1, against 301 in Group 2; a difference of 121. Employees lost, as a result of injuries, a total of 22,548 days in Group 1, and only 14,237 in the corresponding period, a reduction of 5975 days. The wage loss was \$34,667 in the period covered in Group 1, and only \$22,195 in the corresponding period, a saving of \$12,472. The sum of \$9035 was paid out in compensation in the first period and only \$5329 in the second, a saving of \$3706, as the result of co-operative prevention work.

It will be noted that the number of reported accidents shows a reduction of 21 per cent. This reduction does not show fully the results accomplished, owing to the fact that in the second period there would normally be a larger number of cases reported than in the first period. This is true because, as a result of the investigation, made a better understanding as to the reporting of all injuries was had. The number of disability cases, that is, cases in which there was incapacity for work on any day other than the one on which the injury occurred, was reduced 26 per cent. The number of compensation cases, that is, cases in which the employee was incapacitated for work more than two

weeks, was decreased 23 per cent. This decrease is more important than those stated above, owing to the fact that a reduction in the number of disability cases is a step in the direction of eliminating the more serious types of accidents. The decrease in days lost is figured as 37 per cent, the saving in compensation days at 44 per cent, the

percentage of saving to employees in lost wages is 35, and that to employers in compensation paid is 41 per cent.

The ultimate aim of the board, through its small but efficient inspection staff, is to impress upon employers and employees alike the necessity for and wisdom of thorough co-operation in its accident prevention plans.

When at least 35 per cent of the loss in wages and 41 per cent of the loss in compensation may be saved in this manner, it becomes a hummer in businesslike proposition to take advantage of the help gratuitously given by this department of the commonwealth.

Last Two Days

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

TAKE YOUR PICK

SUIT TO ORDER

I want my old customers to take advantage of this sale. Come in, pick out two or three suits and if you are not in a hurry, let me take two weeks or a month to make them. The price will be, SUIT TO ORDER

\$10.00

AUGUST SALE

OF ENDS

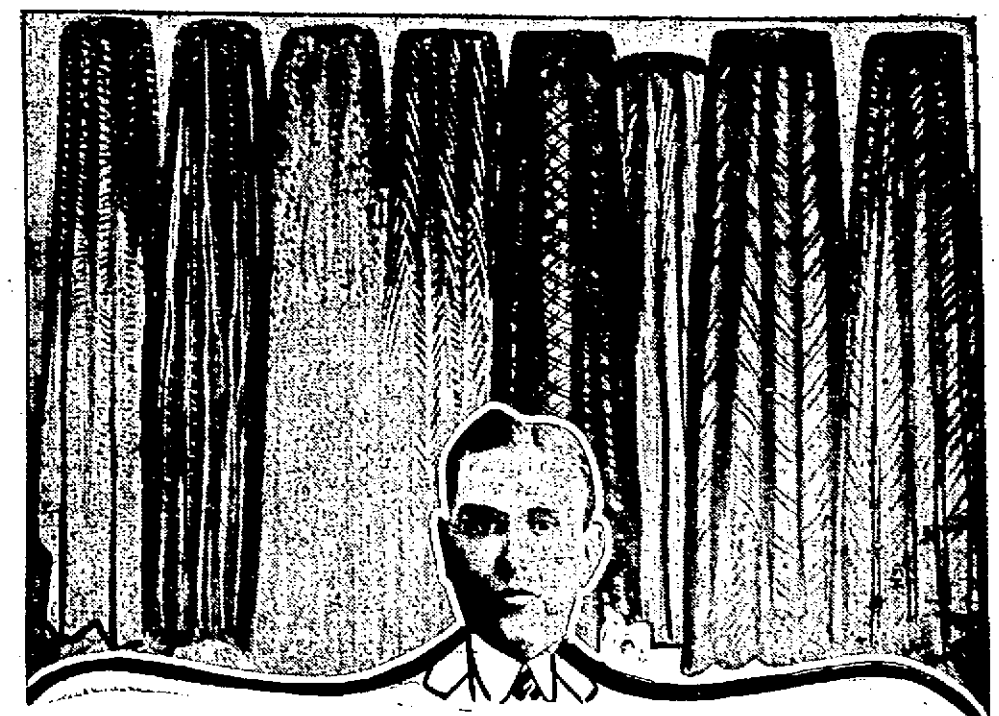
The accumulation of all ends in my store regardless of former prices, not a yard of these goods was bought to sell under \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00, and are guaranteed absolutely wool and worsteds. Most of them have cloth enough to make three piece suits. I have them in all shades, dark grays, blues, blacks and all style colorings. My motto today is the same as in the past, never carry goods from one season to another. I intend to start the fall season Sept. 1st with brand new, fresh goods, Globe Worsteds, Standish Worsteds, Blue and Black Serges, Sherreff's Worsteds included.

WARNING—Woolens will be higher—they cost 20 per cent more today than six weeks ago. Canvases, linings and trimmings are starting to soar. I can assure the man who orders a suit today or Saturday, even if he does not take it for two months, of the lowest prices that he or I may ever live to see, values considered.

Order Now---You Can Have Your Suit in a Week or You May Leave It for Two Months.

Your choice of any Suit End in this store, no two patterns alike, in various colors, including Blue Serges and Black Worsteds Former Prices \$12.50 to \$20. To close

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Browns, Greens, Blues, Seals, Pearls, Grays

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OUR BUILDING VENTURES

A new building in a street is not always an improvement. Besides being new it ought to be of such a type that it will not lower the standard for the immediate neighborhood or establish an undesirable precedent. When it is out of keeping with the buildings in the vicinity or when its uses do not conform to high civic ideals, it may be a detriment rather than an improvement.

Some of the buildings in the vicinity of city hall, or the railroad depot or the court house furnish ample illustration. The contrast between the fine and the cheap is too glaring to be pleasant, and unfortunately when changes come they do not always mean betterment.

At the present time two building ventures are under way in prominent places that afford a striking contrast and give a lesson in what should be done and what should not be done. In one of the most conspicuous points in the city, where thousands pass daily a great apartment block is being erected. Though not nearly completed it already gives a new character to the neighborhood, and adds considerably to the section. The enterprise which prompted it may influence other property owners in the vicinity, and it is to be hoped so for both enterprise and initiative are lacking thereabouts.

At another most important point, near city hall, a chain of one-story stores has been erected. They are pretty and prosperous looking, but not at all in keeping with the character of our main street or the municipal group which they flank. The influence which they exercise will not be for improvement, and it is doubtful if many cities of Massachusetts would permit such buildings under the shadow of their municipal halls.

This mode of lowering standards is also apparent to some extent in our residential districts. Real estate dealers, and land speculators get hold of a valuable tract that perhaps was once a beautiful lawn or garden and cut it up into building lots or erect buildings that are not in keeping with those in the vicinity. As a result many fine residences are put on the market at a low figure, and the general character of sections is changed materially. Such changes are apparent in all cities, but here they come with startling suddenness.

This condition can be remedied only by a revision of our building regulations so that property speculators must put the good of the city ahead of their selfish greed. A fine building, such as the Sun building at Merrimack square, dominates the neighborhood and shames unseemly neighbors until its influence is shown in general improvement; a cheap building out of keeping with its surroundings has just the opposite effect. Those who are interested in city planning, the city beautifiers, city boomers or any of the modern agencies for promoting civic beauty and order should exercise themselves so that Lowell will in future show more interest, intelligence and firmness in dealing with those who contemplate new building ventures.

THE TREE EXPERTS

It is really true that fifty per cent of the shade trees in Lowell are hopeless and that an appropriation of \$10,000 is necessary to put the other fifty per cent in condition, we might as well sigh for a glory that is departing and look forward to the day when a tired and well nigh treeless city will swelter beneath the summer sun. The loss of half our trees would leave us poor indeed and at present there is as much likelihood of an appropriation of \$10,000 for tree repairs as there is of a new bridge at Pawtucketville this fall.

The fell verdict summarized in the foregoing was delivered by some tree experts from Ohio who came to this city a few days ago to fix up some tree wounds on private property. They looked over the trees along our streets, parks and roads and declared that between modern paving and general neglect the days of shade are to be sadly shortened. Few realize with what rapidity the present supply is decreasing, but those who keep track of trees cut down and never replaced know that there is something more than a superficial warning in the ultimatum of the visiting experts. Let us hope that conditions are not nearly so bad as the experts intimate on a cursory survey.

Lowell is not the only offender in this respect, and it will not be the only mourner for lost trees. The modern paving that shuts off air and nourishment from the roots of the trees has killed them in dozens, and the tree pests, neglected flaws and kindred other causes threaten the remainder. Meanwhile it is notable that while cities such as ours make no great effort to plant trees where they have decayed or have been removed, cities like New York and Chicago construct new streets of such a type that trees may be grown in cool colonnades.

We have still some fine elms, maples and chestnuts, reminders of days when all Lowell was a bower of beauty and shade. They took many years to reach their maturity and even if

replaced it would be many more years before a new supply would make as goodly a show.

BOSTON MILK

In view of the many prosecutions for violations of the milk regulations in this city, it may prove of interest to hear what they do in Boston where more emphasis is laid on the prevention of abuses than on their correction. In an effort to keep in constant touch with the milk supply of the dealers and the source of production, Milk Inspector Jordan has just sent a communication to all milk dealers, requesting them to forward to his department before they purchase milk, the names and addresses of farmers with whom they mean to do business. After such notification, no milk may be purchased until permission is given by the milk inspector or those acting for him.

If all transactions are made in good faith, and if officials act in fairness and with an eye to the public good, this system ought to have generally satisfactory results.

If present regulations are enforced intelligently, the law provides for the fullest investigation and supervision, and there would be no great need for such legislation as that intended in the vetoed "clean milk" bill. The Boston officials show one way by which the milk business may be safeguarded in the interest of the public.

FOR GREATER NAVY

The terse and business like address of Secretary Daniels last Wednesday to the visiting governors, on the deck of the Wyoming, proves conclusively that the administration is not so carried away by idealism as to neglect the doctrine of wise preparedness. Without quibbling or striving to becloud the issue, he made the strong claim that the present administration has done more to build up the navy in ships and equipment than any of the preceding administrations. He wisely said that it is the people who must decide how far the country should go, but he showed an inclination to approve of a larger and more efficient navy, adequate for all the needs of defense. If Mr. Daniels at any time believed that money spent in armament was wasted, he did not voice any such belief in Boston, and the great naval pageant which preceded his address seemed to demonstrate that the affairs of our navy are in good hands—despite bitter partisan criticism. Secretary Daniels may not suit the conventional ideal of what such a secretary should be, but he showed ability, genuine patriotism and sound judgment in his recent utterances.

THE NIGHT RIDERS

Recent events in the south have made especially gratifying the news that the federal authorities and state authorities have been partially successful in their attempt to put an end to night riding and other species of lawlessness in Kentucky. More than three score persons have been put on trial and already there have been convictions, with promises of more to come. During the last year there has been a virtual reign of terror in western Kentucky, and scores of persons have been severely flogged and threatened at night while their homes were riddled with bullets. The law has been powerless to deal with the outrages which have come to be tolerated somewhat as lynching has been in that region. The time has come for this nation to declare strongly that mob rule cannot and will not be tolerated. A good beginning has been made in an effort to show Kentucky and other states that no state may set up standards for itself; justice has triumphed partially over license.

GERMANY MAY YIELD

In the latest intimation of its policy given by the German government, an entirely new attitude is taken towards things American. For the first time during the protracted negotiations an admission is made that this nation has a just prevariance with regard to the impairment of our rights by the lawlessness of submarine warfare. It is stated clearly that the commander of the submarine which sank the Arabic "exceeded his instructions," and that Germany will give "full satisfaction" to the United States. This frank admission comes as a relief in a strained situation. It precludes the danger of war or any serious break arising from the loss of the Arabic. For the first time, the German government has come to agree not to sink such vessels as the Arabic without warning and allowing passengers time to escape.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Who Thought It? That Plattsburgh camp shows that American patriotism is not a dead thing.—Baltimore American.

Plain As Day What the Virginia people need is the entire abolition of their constitutional limit to length of legislative sessions.—Fitchburg Sentinel.

Can't Say? The Georgia jury took three minutes to arrive at the decision that Leo Frank came to his death by his

ing hanged "by unknown parties." Why so much time?—Providence Tribune.

Not Bryan's Friend Gen. Carranza doesn't want peace at any price.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

What About Parents? The lawless and irresponsible freedom of vacation is a detriment to many children.—Manchester Mirror.

Is He Prepared? Congressman Gardner has been quoted time and time again to the effect that this country is not prepared for a conflict.—Lynn Telegram.

We Laud Them It takes a mighty good spy system to stand forever against the sleuths who serve the daily newspapers of the country.—Lynn News.

Sure—Take It Give us, then, a peace which leaves in the victor no sense of easy triumph, and in the defeated no passion for revenge.—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

How They Like 'Em The Germans are said to be more ardent admirers of Shakespeare than the English themselves. Is it because he is dead?—Fitchburg News.

Had News Surely Maryland says that the soft shell crab is threatened with extinction.—Brookton Enterprise.

Seen and Heard Sometimes it rests a man to do something foolish.

Some men seem to feel that they are nonentities unless they have some complaints to make.

The commissioner at city hall was dictating to his stenographer. The stenographer had to do with bids and the commissioner finished by stating that he would reserve the right to reject all proposals.

"Doesn't that sound a bit womanish?" queried the stenographer. "What do you mean?" asked the commissioner.

"Right to reject all proposals," replied the stenographer.

An Ideal Office Boy The youth was an applicant for a job where his principal duty would be to ward off by evasive answers the nuisances who daily haunt the place.

"Where have you been employed?" queried the manager.

"Oh, here and there!" replied the applicant briefly.

"Humpf! What were you doing?" "Oh, this and that," was the guarded answer.

"You'll do," said the manager admiringly, and the youth now occupied a desk near the inquiry window of the outer office, and dispenses peculiar and indefinite answers with liberality to all comers.

He Takes One Annually The tramp looked shrewdly at Miss Wary, and she returned his gaze with equal shrewdness, but her expression did not soften in the least.

"You see, it's like this, ma'am. Six months ago I had a little home of my own, but I made an unfortunate marriage. My wife's temper was such as well it kept me in hot water all the time."

"I'm!" said Miss Wary dryly. "It's a pity there couldn't have been a little soap with it. Only six months ago, did you say?"

Caught in the Act There is a lady in Richmond who has in her employ a dark servant of a most curious disposition, says The Philadelphia Ledger.

"Did the postman leave any letters?" the mistress asked on one occasion on return from a call in the neighborhood.

"There ain't nuthin' but a postal card, ma'am," said Lily.

"Who is it from?" asked the mistress craftily.

"Dead, I don't know, ma'am," said Lily, with an air of entire innocence.

"Well, any one that sends me a message on a postal card is either very stupid or impertinent," suggested the lady of the house.

"Excuse me, ma'am," said Lily with dignity, "but that ain't no way to talk 'bout yo' own mother!"

The Country Road The quiet country road is now a thing of the past, especially the roads that are in good condition for automobile driving. Anyone can easily become convinced of that by taking a

LIFE SAVED AFTER OPERATION FAILED

Mrs. Clare Shaw of Providence Used Wonderful Remedy

Mrs. Clare Shaw of 403 Dexter St., Providence, R. I., was a sufferer from stomach and liver troubles for many years. She was treated both in the United States and abroad. She underwent an operation. Still she suffered.

Then she took May's Wonderful Remedy and found swift relief. In a letter telling of her case she said:

"I received your sample treatment the day before Christmas and it saved my life, for I was almost gone. I had an inflammation that got right up in my throat and seemed to choke me. My neighbors say it is a miracle, as they know how I suffered. I am better now than I have been for 20 years."

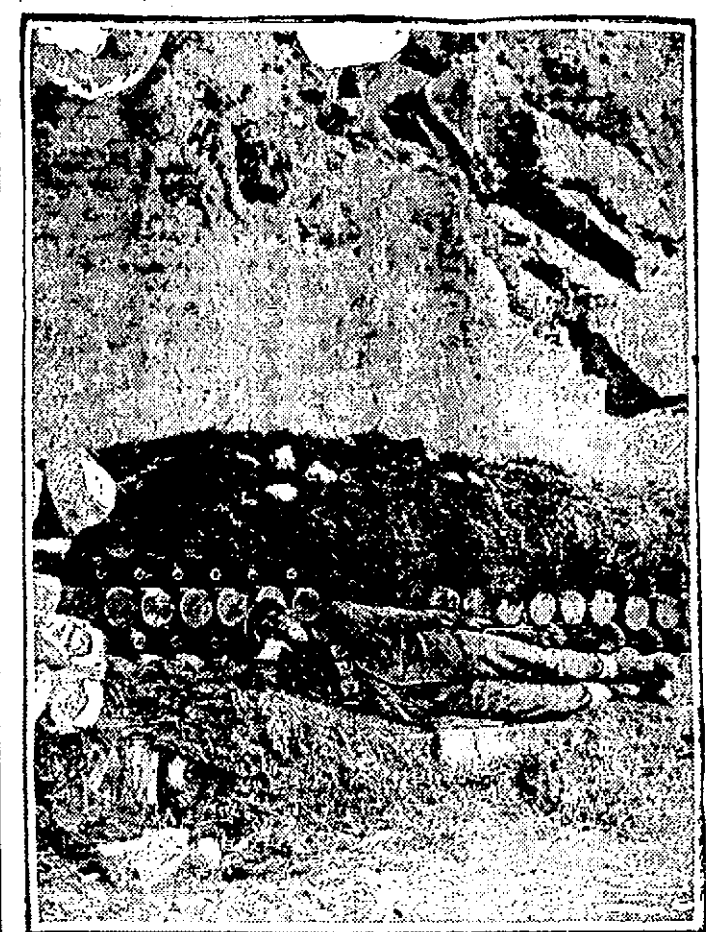
May's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

\$1000 REWARD

The undersigned will pay that sum for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Wong Thiek, as we believe that he was the victim of foul play.

WONG QUON, WONG BING, Chin Lee Restaurant.

"TOMMY" SNATCHES A NAP IN BIG AMMUNITION PILE



ASLEEP AMID SHELLS

ATHENS, Aug. 27.—Set to guard some spare ammunition, a British fighter took advantage of a lull in the demand for shells and snatched a nap. He was "snapped" by a photographer while doing so. The pile of ammunition in which he had made his resting place contained enough explosive material to blow up half a city, but Tommy slumbered on. This indifference to danger, in spite of the frightfully increased risks of modern warfare, has been frequently commented upon in all of the armies engaged in the war.

trip over some of the country roads which form the highway arteries between two cities. For instance, one who enjoyed a trip down below the vermillion Sunday recently reports that on the road leading from Groveland to Newburyport there was a continuous stream of machines, the machine that he was in passing over 40 other machines in less than ten minutes. With the "honk honk" of so many autos continually passing, quiet country life is hardly what it used to be years ago. And this is not only true in Massachusetts, but is true as well in rural states like New Hampshire, for instance. It has 12,000 autos registered in the state, and this does not include the large number that come from out of the state that are every day using her roads. Up through the Crawford and Franconia notches, of a Sunday, there is at times an actual procession of machines passing. New Hampshire has some good roads—as well as some awfully poor ones—and the good ones which happen to run through the most picturesque part of the state are getting their full share of travel during the summer months.

Dream Castles A stretch of golden sand that slopes to meet the curling sea; A place of merriment and mirth. And there with fancy free. I watch the little wonders worked with bucket and a spade— A tiny fellow busy with the castle he has made.

It is the castle of his hopes, and shapeless though it seems,

Answers.

Another Jitney Mishap

MAN STRUCK NEAR ELMERE BUT NOT SERIOUSLY INJURED—DRIVER'S STATEMENT

Another Jitney accident occurred on the state highway between this city and Lawrence last night, when an unknown man was struck by a machine operated by Hugh P. Kaiser of Lawrence. The accident occurred at a

point near Elmore. The chauffeur was taken to the police station by Patrolman Kenney, and when questioned about the accident said the man and two women were crossing when he approached in his car. He said he stopped his car to allow the people to go by and as soon as he turned on

the power again, the man walked back into the path of the machine. The injured man was taken to a nearby house, where a doctor was summoned. The man refused to give his name. He was badly shaken up, but had no bones broken.

There Are Some Nice Dark Colored Suits

—just right for Fall, in the collection we are selling for,

\$12.50

When you recall that first prices for these Suits were \$23, \$20, \$18 and \$15 you will appreciate their uncommon value, for

\$12.50

We Marked Down a Day or Two Ago

Nearly a hundred Men's and Young Men's Suits—sold for \$12, \$13.50 and \$15—put them in for

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All are new Suits this season, correct models and made from all wool fabrics. Much better, of course than Suits regularly sold for \$10.00.

ANOTHER SHIRT SALE

700 Negliges, all regular \$1 values for,

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These shirts fresh from the manufacturer are the balance of his stock—bought for such a little price that we can sell them for

55c

All coat style, exceedingly neat patterns—soft shirts with French turnback cuffs—Neglige shirts with laundered cuffs and silk front shirts—bearing the makers \$1.00 trade mark, all

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UNUSUAL BARGAINS IN FINE SHOES

Hanan's Fine Oxfords

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Now \$4.85

Fine Tan, Russia, Gun Metal and Vic Kid Low Shoes, blucher oxfords and balm—including the Duxflex soles, sold for \$5.50, \$5.00 and \$4.50.

Now \$3.75

LOW SHOES

—in Gun Metal, black—and also tan leathers. Those with rubber soles and heels included and also several small lots of high lace shoes in tan and black—sold for \$4.00 and \$3.50.

Now \$2.85

BROKEN LOTS

—and odd sizes, in tan and black Low Shoes—all from lots that sold for \$3, \$3.50, some \$4.

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Broken plates repaired in three hours. Consultation and examination free. I make an all flesh colored plate; this does away with any red or other colored material showing when talking, singing or laughing. Also a new continuous gum for plates, which is so great an improvement over the old style gum, that no comparison can be made.

Come in and let me show them. Used exclusively in my office, I also make cast aluminum plates, the thinnest, lightest plate it is possible to get. Just like a gold plate only the price is within the reach of all.

The King System of Dentistry is Painless—Absolutely Painless

In my office you get the very best dental work it is possible to get, and I allow no one to quote you lower prices or give you the satisfaction you are able to get in my office. I have seen countless other dentists come and go—and fall by the wayside—because they failed to make good and do as they advertise.

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NO. CHELMSFORD NEWS

CONGRESSMAN WHO WOULD HAVE
GOVERNMENT SEIZE BIG FORTUNESMills Quite Busy—Game Wardens
Alert—Building Activity—Social
and Personal News

The mill situation in North Chelmsford has shown a decided improvement within the past month and at the present time all the industries in the village are running prosperously. The Silesia mills are running full time days, and in certain departments night work is being done. The G. C. Moore mills are operating day and night forces. The machine plant still maintains its day and night schedule and the Lowell Textile Co. has all the business it can handle.

Building Activities

Mr. George Marinel is erecting a new garage near his residence at Stevens' corner. The garage will be of cement and will cost in the vicinity of \$100. He is supervising the work himself and has employed a number of men to help him. Mr. Marinel recently purchased an Overland touring car, and in the fall he will buy an auto truck for delivering ice cream.

The old store formerly occupied by Mrs. J. Marinel directly opposite the new store will be rebuilt by the owner, Mr. P. Henry Harrington of Graniteville, and work on the foundation has already been started. A tenant has been found for the new store. It is understood. A new waiting station it is said will also be erected near the new store.

Need Police Protection

Dancing at Crystal lake will probably be done away with unless the town fathers see fit to revoke their order for a police officer at all dancing parties. The dances up to date have been conducted by one of the town orchestras, and although the members of the orchestra say they have not made a fortune at the venture, they are willing to continue providing they are not compelled to pay a police officer. If compulsory police protection is forced upon them, the members of the orchestra state they will discontinue playing.

St. Alban's Mission

The services at St. Alban's mission on Sunday evening will be conducted at the regular hour and Rev. Wilson Waters of Chelmsford Centre will preach. A special musical program has been arranged for the services.

Dunnigan's Friends Elated

The many friends of James P. Dunnigan are elated over the fact that he will get the democratic nomination for senator unopposed in the eighth senatorial district, and they feel confident

that even without the presence of a progressive candidate, Mr. Dunnigan will make a strong fight for final honors at the fall election. Judging from the talk overheard in the village, the people haven't forgotten the stand the man who is to be Mr. Dunnigan's opponent took on the milk bill, and the majority are out to help Mr. Dunnigan to the office.

Fishes Saved

State Game Commissioner Larkin and J. A. Peck, state game warden, are now receiving the congratulations of the fishermen of the village for their recent prompt action in saving several thousand fishes from destruction. Owing to the recent heavy rains the fish in Crystal lake were washed down the canal to the gates of the Silesia mills. The state officials, having been promptly notified, the canal was drained and the two state officials busied themselves in transferring the catch, consisting of hornpout, bass and white perch, into the lake. It meant a whole lot of work on their part, but they accomplished it without the loss of a single fish.

Court Wannalancit

Court Wannalancit, M. C. O. F., held its regular meeting this week in Foresters' hall, Mount Pleasant street, with Chief Ranger Michael Welsh in the chair. A list of routine business was transacted and special attention was given to the report presented by the members of the outing committee, which proved entirely satisfactory to all. All the members who assisted in the carrying out of arrangements of the recent successful clam bake were accorded a rising vote of thanks for their efforts. Plans for the fall meetings were also considered, in order to make the future sessions of the court of an attractive character for all concerned. During the meeting two special committees were appointed for the purpose of taking up matters of interest to the organization, with instructions to report thereon at the next regular meeting.

Persons

Miss Veronica Lowe is spending a vacation in New York.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Maclachon at their home in Dunstable road this week.

Miss Rosella Monahan is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Nantasket beach.

The families of Messrs. Ed. Murphy and Edward Tucke are at Salisbury beach.



CONGRESSMAN WALSH—MRS. J. BORDEN HARRIMAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The commission on industrial relations, after two years of work, has been unable to agree on any program of social legislation to be submitted to congress. The life of the commission expires on Aug. 23. Two reports have been prepared—a majority report signed by the three representatives of capital and by Professor John R. Commons and Mrs. J. Borden Harriman and a minority report signed by Chairman Frank P. Walsh and the three representatives of labor. In a statement Harris Wainstock of San Francisco, an employee member of the commission, said the members found themselves to be unalterably divided on social questions and that two reports was the only solution of the

deadlock. One of the rocks on which the commission was hopelessly split was a recommendation in the report drafted by Chief of Staff Basil M. Stanley and fostered by Chairman Walsh that congress enact laws confiscating, upon inheritance, all great fortunes in excess of \$1,000,000. In other words, Mr. Walsh and the three labor members of the commission proposed to forbid heirs of wealthy Americans from inheriting more than \$1,000,000 from any one estate. All in excess would go to the federal government. Professor Commons, Mrs. Harriman and the three members of the commission representing employers, refused to give serious consideration to such a proposal.

TWO KILLED AT CROSSING

UNDERTAKER AND NURSE WERE KILLED 50 FEET WHEN TRAIN STRUCK AUTO AT ACUSINET

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 27.—Henry P. Wilson, 50 years old, one of the leading undertakers and a member of one of the oldest families of this city and Miss Frances Allen, 35 years old, a nurse formerly of Providence, were killed late yesterday afternoon when, in crossing the New Haven tracks at the junction with Carville road, at Acusinet, the auto in which they were riding was struck by the 5 o'clock train for Boston.

Wilson and Miss Allen had been outing during the afternoon and were crossing through Acusinet on their way to this city in the Wilson automobile. As they were approaching the railroad crossing on the New Haven railroad an accommodation train was slowing down for a stop at the near-by station.

Wilson did not stay his automobile and tried to cross ahead of the train. The engine caught his car about its centre and threw it fully 50 feet from the scene. The machine with Wilson and Miss Allen still in it, was rolled over and over.

Both were pinioned under the car. When the machine was righted Miss Allen was dead. Wilson was conscious and was able to get up. He was rushed to the Derby hospital, where he died about 8:30 o'clock.

Wilson is survived by his wife and seven children. Mrs. Wilson is one of the prominent leaders of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's clubs and was formerly president of the local branch. She is a member of the local school committee, elected by the citizens at large. She has been very prominent in social research work.

GREECE FAVORS ALLIES

AGREEMENT WITH ENTENTE POWERS UPON GREATER TRADE PRIVILEGES

PARIS, Aug. 27. 9:45 a. m.—Representatives of the entente powers and Greece, according to a despatch from Athens to the Havas agency, have reached an agreement upon greater trade privileges between these countries, which has produced an impression that public opinion in Greece favors the allies.

Henceforth all importations to Greece will be allowed without hindrance on the basis of trade statistics. Greece undertakes to prevent re-exportation to the central powers or Turkey and to permit free transit and access to Greek territory to all goods destined for Bulgaria and Serbia.

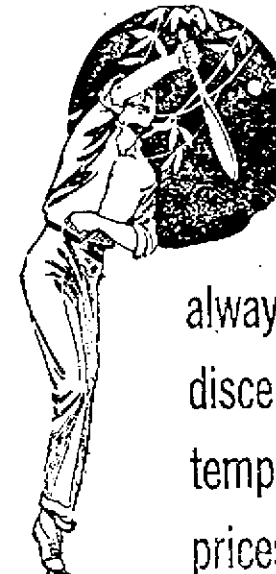
Partisans of the entente allies comment upon this first act of the Venizelos ministry as a good augury for further negotiations.

CHINESE STUDENT ALLIANCE

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Aug. 27.—Chinese students, men and women, from the colleges and universities throughout the east gathered here today for the opening sessions of the 11th annual conference of the Chinese Students Alliance of the United States. The sessions, which are being held at Wesleyan university will continue a week.

Among the questions to be considered will be national defense, advancement of education, foreign relations, economic and industrial reconstruction. In addition there will be debates between groups from different institutions both in Chinese and English, and athletic events.

The rates of pay for women as a whole in Oregon have been increased. Weddings in London have increased 50 per cent. since the war began.

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Sport Shirts—Plain shades and fancy collar, long or short sleeves.

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MEN'S UNION SUITS 48c

10 Dozen Men's White and Ecru, Jersey and Nainsook Union Suits; ankle, short sleeve and the athletic cut. Regular prices 65c to \$1.00 each. To close. 48c

EAST SECTION

AUTO GLOVES

Gauntlet and Short Gloves, salesmen's samples, at 1-3 to 1-2 less than regular prices; black, gray and tan; best makes, medium and light weights. Regular prices 50c to \$5.00, 39c to \$2.50

MEN'S SILK AND SILK LISLE HOSE 25c

30 dozen plain colors and shades, all first quality, full fashioned and seamless knit. Regular prices 35c and 50c. To close. 25c Pair

MEN'S NECKWEAR 29c

Broken assortments of Four-in-Hands, this season's styles, only a few of each set left. Regular price 50c each. To close. 29c

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READY-TO-HANG LACE CURTAINS	NEW CABLE NET LACE CURTAINS	COUCH COVERS
\$1.00 quality. 79c Pair	Best Wearing Curtains Made	98c Couch Covers. 69c
\$1.25 quality. 89c Pair	\$1.98 quality. \$1.25 Pair	\$1.25 Tapestry Covers. 98c
\$1.50 quality. 98c Pair	\$2.50 quality. \$1.50 Pair	\$1.75 Empire Covers. \$1.25
\$1.75 quality. \$1.25 Pair	\$3.00 quality. \$1.75 Pair	\$2.00 Roman Covers. \$1.50
\$1.98 quality. \$1.50 Pair	\$3.50 quality. \$2.00 Pair	\$2.75 Oriental Covers. \$1.98
\$2.25 quality. \$1.75 Pair	\$4.00 quality. \$2.50 Pair	\$3.50 Kaligay Covers. \$2.50
\$2.50 quality. \$2.00 Pair	\$5.00 quality. \$2.98 Pair	\$4.00 Verdure Covers. \$2.98
\$3.50 quality. \$2.50 Pair	\$6.00 quality. \$3.98 Pair	\$5.00 Trench Covers. \$3.50
\$4.00 quality. \$3.00 Pair	\$7.00 quality. \$5.00 Pair	\$6.00 Turkman Covers. \$3.98
	\$8.00 quality. \$5.98 Pair	\$7.50 Persian Covers. \$4.98
		\$8.50 Velour Covers. \$5.98
		\$10 Velour Covers. \$8.50
		\$15 Oriental Moquette Covers. \$12.50

New Portieres, in Tapestry and Velours,

\$1.59 to \$18.00 Per Pair

Plain Marquisette Scrim—White, cream and Arabian, 38 in. wide. Regular price 25c yard. Best for drawn curtain of all kinds. Special price. 15c a Yard

A SPECIAL RUG OFFER—WILTON

\$25.00 Rugs, seamed, 8 1/2 x 10 1/2 ft. Special price. \$12.98

\$29.00 Rugs, seamed, 9 x 12 ft., good Persian and Oriental designs. Special price \$14.98

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Velour Portieres, all colors per orders, single

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Extra Fine Arabian Scrim—This is the best value ever offered in scrim. Special price, 12 1/2c Yard

WEAVE VELVET ART SQUARES

\$27.50 Art Squares, one piece seamless, 8 1/2 x 10 1/2 ft. Special price. \$14.98

\$30.00 Art Squares, one piece seamless, 9 x 12 ft., Oriental patterns and colorings. Special price. \$16.98

SECOND FLOOR

QUEEN FRUIT JARS
(Lightning Top)
Square shape with wide mouth.
1/2 Pint Size. 69c Dozen
Pint Size. 75c Dozen
Quart Size. 98c Dozen

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B. B. "HANDEE" DUSTLESS MOP

For use on hardwood and finished floors.
Regular price 75c.
Special at Each. **49c**

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UNDERPRICE BASEMENT

MEN'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR AT REDUCED PRICES

Men's Jersey Underwear—Good quality, shirts and drawers; regular 25c value. Reduced to 17c Each

Men's Fine Jersey Underwear—Ecru; shirts with short sleeves; drawers made with fine jean waist band and double seat. Shirts and drawers, 50c garments. Reduced to 29c Each

Men's Balbriggan Underwear—Men's Fine Balbriggan Underwear, shirts and drawers, made of fine combed yarn; shirts with short sleeves; drawers with double seat and fine jean waist bands. 50c value. Reduced to 29c Each

Men's Keep Kool Union Suits—30 dozen of this fine summer underwear, made of good comb 35c a Suit

Athletic Shirts—Men's White Athletic Shirts, fine quality. 50c value. Reduced to 19c Each

Men's Union Suits—Men's White Union Suits, knee length and short sleeves. Reduced to 20c

Men's Union Suits—Men's Fine Jersey Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length, 75c value. Reduced to 50c Suit

Men's Union Suits—Men's Fine Jersey Union Suits, ecru, made of fine combed yarn; short sleeves; 1.00 garments. Reduced to 55c

Nainsook Union Suits—About 20 dozen Men's Union Suits, made of fine white checked nainsook; 50c garments. Reduced to 35c

Boys' Jersey Union Suits—Boys' Fine Jersey Union Suits, ecru; 25c garments. Reduced to 19c Suit

Boys' Porosknit Underwear—Boys' fine Porosknit Underwear, shirts and drawers, white and

ecru; 25c value. Reduced to. 17c Each

Boys' Jersey Shirts—30 dozen Boys' Fine Jersey Shirts, short sleeves; 25c value. Reduced to 17c Each

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Vests—Ladies' bleached ribbed Vests, regular and extra sizes; low neck, sleeveless, and wing sleeves; 10c value. Reduced to 6 1/2c Each

Ladies' Ribbed Vests—Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, low neck, nicely trimmed; 12 1/2c value. Reduced to 10c Each

Ladies' Pants—Ladies' Fine Jersey Pants, lace trimmed; regular and extra sizes 25c value. Reduced to 15c Pair

Ladies' Union Suits—Ladies' fine Jersey Union Suits, low neck, lace trimmed and tight knee; regular and large sizes; 25c value. Reduced to 19c a Suit

Ladies' Union Suits—Ladies' fine Jersey Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, trimmed with fine lace and silk tape; pants lace trimmed and tight knee; 50c value. Reduced to 29c

Children's Pants—Children's Jersey Pants, lace trimmed; 10c value. Reduced to. 6 1/2c

Children's Underwear—Children's fine Jersey Underwear; shirts low neck, pants lace trimmed; 12 1/2c value. Reduced to 9c, 3 for 25c

Children's and Misses' Underwear—Fine Jersey Summer Underwear; shirts low neck, short sleeves and no sleeves; lace trimmed and tight knee pants, 19c value. Reduced to 10c Each

ON SALE BASEMENT

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We offer great relief to the man who finds it difficult to obtain satisfactory clothes, clothes in which he has confidence, clothes that he feels are absolutely correct in fabric, cut and tailoring. We specialize in extra value suits that answer these requirements, at

\$10, \$13 and \$15

Sold elsewhere at \$13, \$15 and \$18

We are now showing the new overplaid in green and blues, also in light and dark gray. They come in regulars, stouts and longs.

Daylight Basement Special
MEN'S PANTS

In black chevots, blue serges, gray oxfords and fancy stripes, sizes 30 to 44 waist. \$2.00 values, at

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Men's Underwear Special

After stock taking we find many broken lines and sizes of underwear in combed Egyptian balbriggan, either long or short sleeves.

Nainsook, athletic style and knee drawers, the famous Gotham make and Porosknit shirts and drawers. Worth 38c and 50c.

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Daylight Basement

Boys' Clothing Dept

Daylight Basement

Boys' Norfolk Suits

Stitched belt and patch pocket. Pants are made peg top; they come in blue, brown and gray woolen mixtures. See Central street windows.

\$3.00 values, \$1.98

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NEW MINIMUM WAGE LAW

State of Arkansas the Only One to Put in Force Comprehensive Law of This Kind

There is considerable interest locally in the minimum wage question and as several inquiries have been received at this office relative to the law put in force in Arkansas its provisions are here reviewed:

So far as appears at present the only new minimum-wage law enacted during the legislative sessions of 1915 is that of Arkansas. The legislature of Nebraska made an appropriation (\$500) for the expenses of the minimum-wage commission of that state, thus making it possible for the first time for any action to be taken under the act of 1913. In Massachusetts the minimum-wage commission is authorized to require employers to post in their establishments such information or matter as the commission may indicate.

The Arkansas statute is in immediate effect from the date of its passage, and applies to females working in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, or ex-

LOSING HOPE WOMAN VERY ILL

Finally Restored To Health By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Bellevue, Ohio.—"I was in a terrible state before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My back ached until I thought it would break, I had pains all over me, nervous feelings and periodic troubles. I was very weak and run down and was losing hope of ever being well and strong. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I improved rapidly and today am a well woman. I cannot tell you how happy I feel and I cannot say too much for your Compound. Would not be without it in the house if it cost three times the amount."—Mrs. CLARA CHAPMAN, R. F. D. No. 7, Bellevue, Ohio.

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The one which she should most zealously guard, is her health, but it is the one most often neglected, until some ailment peculiar to her sex has fastened itself upon her. When so affected such women may rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a remedy that has been wonderfully successful in restoring health to suffering women.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to any of the women whose testimonial letters we are constantly publishing. They will tell you their experience and give you confidence to try the medicine.

IMPORTANT

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

At last we are able to buy in sufficient quantities to eliminate the middle man, saving you that profit. Starting Monday of next week, we will sell (all the time) any 10c article 9c (some less); any 25c article, 23c (some less). Our specials will be lower than ever. Watch for our ads. almost every day. (Heinz and Beechnut goods excepted.)

SPECIAL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

40c Japanese Crabmeat, can.....	28c
5c Sardines.....	3 for 10c
Shredded Wheat, pkg.....	10c
Campbell's Soups (except chicken-veg), can.....	7 1/2c
Any Soap (all the time), bar.....	4c
25c Gold Dust, pkg.....	17c
Priscilla Ice Cream Powder, 25c size, pkg.....	13c
Reynold's Fudge Cocoa, 25c size, pkg.....	17c
Large Mackerel.....	2 for 25c
Small Mackerel.....	2 for 5c
Legs of Fall Lamb, lb.....	16c
Smoked Shoulders, lb.....	10c
Heavy Salt Pork, lb.....	10c
Ripe Tomatoes.....	3 lbs. 10c
Native Green Corn, doz.....	15c
Fresh Killed Fowl, 25c value, lb.....	20c

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building to the same time doing the same class of work. Doubtless this will be passed upon by the commission, however, rather than by the employer.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Electric Workers' union is scheduled to meet tonight in the union rooms in the Fiske building.

The near approach of Labor day focuses attention "once more on the strength of the American labor movement.

The Silesia mills and G. C. Moore mills in North Chelmsford are very busy and night work is being done in some of the departments.

The Millmen's union will meet tonight in Carpenters' hall, Runels building, to make final arrangements for the Labor day celebration.

In all the Labor day exercises the importance of the union label will be emphasized by the labor men of this city.

The shutting down of the Merrimack mills tomorrow until the day after Labor day is not the result of poor business, but is done to give the employees a needed vacation.

Messrs. Frank Finerty, Frank Williams, John Joyce, John Baxter, Hugh Finerty and other members of the Warren club took in the big parade in Boston yesterday.

Walter Dow, shipper at Allen & Sons box manufacturing plant, will be a contributor to the musical program at the ladies' day to be conducted by the Four of Clubs a week from Sunday.

Thomas Rodkins, a prominent South End member, states that everything is booming up in Nashua, N. H., where he is employed and that night work is the rule in nearly every factory.

Rumor has it that Boston union carpenters are perfecting plans for the erection of a headquarters building in the downtown section of the city. A fund of \$100,000 will be raised by subscription from the members of Hub locals which, it is understood, will cover all expenses. A building completely modern in every respect is planned. It will be five stories high with offices and halls on the upper floors.

Carpenters' District Council

The Carpenters' district council held a largely attended and interesting meeting in the Runels building last night, at which various matters of interest were discussed and acted upon.

Weavers' Union

The Weavers' union met last night in the union quarters in Middle street and transacted a large amount of routine business. Two new members were admitted and final arrangements were made for the Labor day parade.

Boot & Shoe Workers' Union

An open meeting for boot and shoe workers concluded last night in the Runels building under the auspices of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union. Attracted representatives of practically every shoe concern in the city and six new members were admitted into the organization. Several applications for membership were received as a result of the session and these will be acted upon at the next regular meeting. Following the business session remarks were made by Organizer Daniel E. Whelan, who presided at the meeting, President Frank Warnock of the Trades & Labor council and others.

Painters' Union

An interesting meeting of Painters' union, local 83, was held last night in Carpenters' hall, Runels building, with President George Fifield in the chair. President Frank Warnock of the Trades & Labor council gave an instructive address on organization after which a list of routine business was transacted. It was voted unanimously to parade on Labor day and further arrangements for the day were completed. A communication was received from the Permanent Firemen's club and the request was complied with by the members.

Machinists' Open Meeting

Cotton Spinners' hall in Middle street

ALL GOODS BOUGHT AT THIS SALE STORED FREE UNTIL WANTED

FOLDING CARD TABLES

Regular value \$2.50. Our regular price \$1.98. August Sale Price **\$1.29**

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Guaranteed National Springs, all sizes. Regular value \$4.00. Our regular price \$3.50. August Sale Price **\$2.25**

AUGUST FURNITURE SALE

Closes next Tuesday night. During this sale we have done an enormous business. There is yet time for those who have not taken advantage of the present low prices. Many bargains still remain on our selling floor. Now is the time to anticipate your furniture requirements for months to come. Now is the time to buy.

TAKE ELEVATOR TO FOURTH FLOOR

BABY CARRIAGES

Mostly all are in natural color; a few browns and grays in lot. Quoted below is a list of unusually low prices.

Regular value \$12. August Sale Price **\$8.49**

Regular value \$14.75. August Sale Price **\$10.95**

Regular value \$17.75. August Sale Price **\$14.50**

Regular value \$20. August Sale Price **\$16.50**

Regular value \$22. August Sale Price **\$17.95**

Regular value \$24.50. August Sale Price **\$19.50**

Regular value \$26.50. August Sale Price **\$21.00**

Every carriage equipped with windshield.

PARLOR TABLES

Round Oak and Mahogany Finish Parlor Tables. Regular \$7.00 value. Our regular price \$5.25. August Sale Price **\$4.45**

Fancy Top Oak and Mahogany Finish Parlor Tables. Regular value \$7.50. Our regular price \$5.75. August Sale Price **\$4.95**

DINING ROOM TABLES

Quartered Oak Dining Room Tables with plank top and reinforced edges. Regular value \$17.50. Our regular price \$15. August Sale Price **\$13.59**

AUTOMATIC RECLINING CHAIRS

The Easiest Working Reclining Chairs on the Market. Regular value \$19. Our regular price \$16.50. August Sale Price **\$13.50**

Regular value \$20. Our regular price \$17.50. August Sale Price **\$14.00**

Regular value \$22.50. Our regular price \$19.50. August Sale Price **\$16.50**

Regular value \$24. Our regular price \$20.00. August Sale Price **\$17.50**

Regular value \$25. Our regular price \$21.50. August Sale Price **\$18.50**

Regular value \$30. Our regular price \$26.00. August Sale Price **\$21.50**

DRESSERS

Fumed Oak Dressers. Regular value \$14. Our regular price \$11.50. August Sale Price **\$8.75**

Fumed Oak Dressers. Regular value \$18. Our regular price \$15.50. August Sale Price **\$11.75**

Solid Oak Dressers, 24x30, bevel plate mirror. Regular value \$19. Our regular price \$16.50. August Sale Price **\$11.75**

Quartered Oak Dressers with extra large bevel plate mirror. Regular value \$17.50. Our regular price \$14.00. August Sale Price **\$10.95**

MATTRESSES

All Cotton Mattresses, two piece, to fit 3 ft. 6 in. and 4 ft. 6 in. beds only. Regular value \$7.50. Our regular price \$5.95. August Sale Price **\$4.95**

JARDINIERS

9 inch Hammered Brass Jardinieres. Regular \$1.25 value. August Sale Price **79c**

PIAZZA ROCKERS

Piazza Rockers in green finish, rattan seat, slot back, large arms. \$1.98 value. August Sale Price **\$1.29**

HALL MIRRORS

Oak Hall Mirrors, beveled mirror 10x30 inches, five pegs. Regular value \$5.00. Our regular price \$3.50. August Sale Price **\$2.79**

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Special Bargains Offered in Our Drapery Dept. for Friday and Saturday

After stock taking we find we have a lot of curtains with only 2 to 4 pairs which we cannot duplicate and have made the great reductions quoted below in order to close them out.

SCRIM CURTAINS—2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 values. Friday and Saturday **98c**

SCRIM CURTAINS with and without Dutch piece, 2, 3, 5 and 6 pair lots. \$1.75 to \$1.98 values. Friday and Saturday **\$1.25**

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NOTINGHAM CURTAINS—2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 values. Friday and Saturday **\$1.25**

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NOVELTY CURTAINS AND IRISH CURTAINS—2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.00 values. Friday and Saturday **\$2.98**

IRISH POINT CURTAINS—2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$4.50 to \$5.00 values. Friday and Saturday **\$3.98**

MADRAS CURTAINS—2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Friday and Saturday **\$1.00**

was taxed to capacity last night when an open meeting for machinists of the city, conducted under the auspices of the Trades & Labor council, was held. P. J. Conlon, vice president of the international Machinists' organization and President Frank Warnock were the speakers. The meeting which was held for organizing purposes was productive of results as 25 new members were added to the organization. They will be initiated at a special meeting to be held tonight in Trades & Labor hall.

BOSTON YOUTH RELEASED

Ugo Da Prata Out of Italian Service—Italian Government Acted On Protest From Washington

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The Italian embassy notified the state department that Italy, in response to a protest from the Washington government had released from military service Ugo Da Prata, son of an Italian naturalized in the United States.

As many similar cases have arisen, officials regard the Italian action as establishing an important precedent. Da Prata was born in Boston in 1893, after his father had been naturalized, but inasmuch as he and his father had lived in Italy two years before the beginning of the present war, the son, still a minor, was pressed into military duty on the theory that the parent by his two years' residence, had again become an Italian subject.

At the instance of Senator Lodge, the state department urged Da Prata's release on the ground that the father had returned to Italy as the representative of an American firm, and hence the Italian law of repatriation did not apply.

FALLS 25 FEET ALMOST UNHURT
PAWTUCKET, Aug. 27.—Yvonne Marchand, aged nine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Marchand, while at play on the piazza of her home at 130 Magill street, yesterday, fell over the railing 25 feet to the ground. Examination by a physician disclosed nothing more serious than a few bruises and a large lump on the child's forehead.

RUNAWAY BOY ARRESTED

John Kruskis, Who Disappeared From Lynn on July 12, Was Supposed Drowned

BROCKTON, Aug. 27.—Patrolmen Finnegan and McKenney last night arrested John Kruskis, aged 17, of Lynn, the charge of being a runaway. He disappeared from Lynn on July 12 and it was thought he had been drowned. His mother was prostrated.

THREE DROWNED

Float at Carnival in Honor of Governors Swamped

WALTHAM, Aug. 27.—Three men were drowned last night as a result of the swamping of a float which had taken part in a carnival on the Charles river, two hours after it had passed under review by the governors of the country, who are attending the annual conference of governors in Boston. The lives of 20 other persons were imperiled in the accident to this float and in the capsizing of another. The drowned:

William Chase, foreman in the employ of a manufacturing company which entertained the executives.

John Cane.

Joseph Maguire.

They were members of a party of 14 men and one woman who filled characters on a float called "Charity," which the local lodge of Elks contributed to the carnival. The float had begun to take water, and the young woman became excited. Soon it swamped and eight of the men jumped overboard.

In their characters, they had worn armor. Some were mindful of the handicap and took off the pieces. Others jumped into the waters with the weights attached and they were drowned. Those who remained on the float were taken off by canoists.

Some time previously the "dead" float, aboard which were 15 persons forming the carnival committee, overturned at another point on the river. All those aboard were thrown into the water and, although there was much struggling and rescue work, was of a hurried and uncertain nature, a check on those known to be aboard later failed to develop any missing.

In this mishap, as in the other, most of those saved owed their lives to members of canoeing parties, several of whom left their craft hurriedly to rescue those in the water by swimming. Others dragged the rescued ones into their canoes.

A small crowd of spectators on the riverbank, in addition to those in nearby craft, witnessed both accidents, but in each case the mishap was at such a late hour as to avoid the excitement that would have developed earlier.

SPAIN PROTESTS TO GERMANY

PARIS, Aug. 26, 4 p. m.—The sinking of the Spanish steamer Isidoro recently by a German submarine, which

was the occasion of a protest by Spain to Germany, is described by the correspondent at Bilbao, Spain, of the Havas agency. His despatch gives the official report of the Isidoro's captain to her owners.

The captain states that on Aug. 17 he heard three shots of a cannon. A German submarine appeared suddenly beside the vessel. The captain of the Isidoro went aboard the submarine and exhibited all his papers to the German commander, who remarked in Spanish, "No one can go to England."

The captain reports that the Germans dismantled the wireless apparatus on his vessel and ordered the crew to abandon the ship at once. Scarcely had the crew debarked when the submarine fired on the Isidoro, sinking her quickly.

According to the captain's report, the German commander ordered all the Isidoro's documents, even her log book.

Women in France expect to receive the vote after the present war is over.

Telephone companies in Turkey are now employing girls at the switchboards.

5 INSANE MEN ESCAPE

ATTACK GUARD, SEIZE KEYS, LOCK DOOR AND PLUG KEYHOLE—FOUR RECAPTURED

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 27.—Five of the chimerically insane escaped yesterday from the state hospital by attacking one of the attendants, seizing the keys and after getting outside looking the door and plugging the keyhole. The plot must have been previously arranged by the group.

Two of them were captured soon after on the Church Hill road and another a few hours later. A fourth was taken into custody last night, but the fifth, the most dangerous one of the group, is still at large and is supposed to be in hiding in Hanks woods.

Residents living nearby were terrorized by the presence of the insane patients.

HOT WEATHER BAD FOR WOMEN'S NERVES

Season When They Most Need Their Strength to Withstand the Heat

Hot weather has a decidedly weakening effect on most women. They become too languid to exercise, and as a result have appetite only for light, tasty foods, like salads and other cold concoctions, which do not digest readily and increase the natural tendency to constipation.

At this season women should maintain the highest possible standard of health, to counteract the enervating effect of the weather. Good digestion and regularity of the bowels are essential. The combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, sold in Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is highly recommended as a laxative and digestant by many physicians, as well as by thousands of women who depend upon it as a remedy for many of those ills to which women seem more especially susceptible.

Get a fifty cent bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin from your druggist and have it in the house. Take



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IS HELD WITHOUT BAIL

MORRISON PEASLEE, ACCUSED OF KILLING HIS FATHER AT HUN-NIKER

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 27.—Morrison Peaslee, alleged to have confessed that he killed his father, Howard W. Peaslee, at Hunniker, on May 22, 1914, was today held without bail for the October grand jury by Judge A. Chester Clark in the Concord municipal court.

The confession which Morrison Peaslee is said to have made to a detective in Portland, Me., on Aug. 19, was made public for the first time. In it Peaslee is made to say that he shot his father with Howard Peaslee's own shot gun as the latter was sitting in his shop.

THE HAITIAN SITUATION

EVERY INDICATION THAT FINANCIAL PROTECTORATE CONVENTION WOULD BE RATIFIED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—State department officials announced today that there was every indication that the financial protectorate convention with Haiti would be ratified by the Haitian congress within a few days. The statement was made upon advice received from American Charge d'Affaires Davis at Port au Prince.

SCARCITY OF SILVER COIN

Travelers Leaving France Will Be Compelled to Exchange Coins For Paper Money

PARIS, Aug. 27, 11 a. m.—Every traveler leaving France hereafter will be required to declare the amount of funds in coin in his possession. If more than 50 francs (\$10) he will be compelled to exchange the excess for paper money under a decree issued today by Finance Minister Ribot.

This action resulted from an investigation of the scarcity of silver coins, particularly in the frontier regions where it was ascertained that coins in circulation were being collected for export. Even coppers and nickels were sought and exchanged.

FRIEND BROTHERS OUTING

Drivers and bakers employed at the Friend Bros. bakery held an enjoyable outing at the Uneda camp on the Concord river yesterday afternoon. On the arrival of the party at the camp, an excellent dinner prepared by Caterer Harvey was served after which an informal musical program was carried out. A list of sports was run off in the pine grove in the rear of the camp. Anthony Dickson was in general charge of the arrangements of the outing, and all cooperated in making the half holiday a pleasant one.

FRENCH AERIAL RAIDS

PLANT WHERE GERMANS MANUFACTURE GASES ATTACKED—RAILROAD STATION SHELLED

PARIS, Aug. 27, 2:30 p. m.—French aviators continue their activities against certain positions in possession of the Germans in the eastern portions of the French line, according to an announcement made today by the French war office. German aviators also are taking offensive measures in this territory.

A French aviator last night bombarded at Dornach a plant where the Germans manufactured asphyxiating gases and this morning a French squadron of airplanes bombarded the railroad station at Muelheim, in the Grand Duchy of Baden.

All the French flyers returned unharmed.

FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS

EIGHT MISSIONARIES OF AMERICAN BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SAIL

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Eight missionaries of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions sailed today on the Greek steamship Themistocles for Athens. Rev. and Mrs. Leroy P. Ostrander are on their way to Samokov, Bulgaria. Mr. Ostrander is the president of the College Theological Institute of Bulgaria, an American board school. Mr. and Mrs. J. Riggs Brewster are to be located for the present at Saloniki, Greece. Dr. and Mrs. Mark Hopkins Ward, who go as missionaries of the Broadway Tabernacle, are designated to Atah, Turkey, but since the Turkish government now refuses to admit foreigners to the interior of the country they are proceeding to Cairo, Egypt, where they will study the Turkish language. Miss Mary L. Matthews, after a furlough here, is returning to her post as principal of the girls' school at Monastir. Miss Edith Douglas is going back to Samokov, Bulgaria, to resume her work in the mission girls' school. Secretary Barton states that the missionaries of the American board in the Balkans report the work in all departments as proceeding with perfect safety for Americans and every assurance that this will continue, no matter what attitude Bulgaria and Greece may assume with reference to the war.

WEEK OF WAR PRACTICE

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL MEN IN CAMP AT PLATTSBURG READY FOR "HOSTILITIES"

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 27.—A week of war practice upon which the regiment of business and professional men at the camp of instruction embarked today constitutes a part of an elaborate theoretical war with a European power. According to the plan this power recalled its ambassador on Aug. 16 and the United States government ordered the concentration of the greater part of the regular army and one brigade of the New York militia at Albany. Troops of other coast states were ordered to the defense of harbor forts, while border states were directed to assemble their troops along the frontier to be reinforced by detachments of regular cavalry and field artillery and by the militia of central states.

War was theoretically declared by the European power yesterday and the commander of the first brigade at Plattsburg received information that the Red army of invasion had crossed the Canadian border, seized the railroad junction at Rouse's Point, N. Y., and had taken Malone, N. Y. The commander of the "Blue army" of defense of which the business men's regiment is a part, decided to advance against the enemy at Rouse's Point before he could be reinforced from Malone.

Between 5500 and 6000 men will figure in the maneuvers.

EXPERT TELEGRAPHERS COMPETE

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Aug. 27.—Expert telegraphers from all parts of the United States were ready to compete in the championship tournament under the auspices of the Panama-Pacific exposition today.

Among the contestants are D. J. Ellington, holder of the Carnegie diamond medal; C. V. and Herman Farfield; T. S. Brickhouse and John Hillard, all of San Francisco and G. W. Smith of Philadelphia.

The tournament includes nine events open to the telegraphers of the world and railroad, commercial, press and brokers' operators among their competitors. The championship prize carries with it the Carnegie diamond medal and a cash prize of \$200. Other events carry cash prizes.

The contests scheduled for today were the railroad men's contest, wireless, press and commercial.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

however, has yet to be reckoned with but it has been stated that the heating and plumbing ought not to cost more than \$20,000, at the very outside, and in that event the city would have about \$10,000 of the insurance money to the good. Bids opened today were as follows: Electrical work—Quinn Brothers, \$3300; Tucke & Parker, \$3280; L. A. Derby & Co., \$2576.60; George A. Hill, \$4039; Conant & May, \$3350.18 and W. C. Hinckley, \$3145. The Derby company is the lowest bidder.

Bids on Plastering

Only three bids on plastering were received and Matthias F. Connor was the lowest bidder. The bids were as follows: Austin Gallery, \$7235; Matthias F. Connor, \$5241, and Daniel H. Walker \$5400.

Bids on Plumbing

Of the fourteen bidders on the plumbing contract Patrick P. Welch was the lowest. The bids: Joseph P. McMahon & Co., \$1012; John A. Cotter, \$1023; Chisholm & Co., \$1018; J. D. Spillane & Co., \$1090; Farrell & Conant, \$995; P. F. Welch, \$939; Gorham Plumbing Co., \$1010; Carroll Brothers, \$995; T. Costello & Co., \$1040; John J. McIlhenny, \$1013; Welch Brothers, \$1003; J. H. Wilder & Co., \$1016; Scott & O'Day, \$1013; Harry S. Drury, \$1010.

On Marble Tablets

There were five bids on marble tablets and the Lowell Monument Co. was the lowest bidder. The bids were as follows: Williams & Davidson, \$1200; John P. Meenan Co., \$1129; Frank M. Hadley, \$1500; Lowell Monument Co., \$533; Gumb Brothers, \$990.

Mason and Brick Work

Matthias F. Connor was the lowest of the three bidders on the mason and brick work, as follows: Matthias F. Connor, \$3350; Daniel H. Walker, \$3180; Patrick O'Leary, \$3390.

For Structural Steel

There were two bids for the structural steel work and A. P. Knapp was the lowest bidder, his bid being over \$100 less than that of the second bidder, Frank Donnelly. The bids were: Knapp, \$7116; Donnelly, \$8212.

The Carpenter Work

The bids on the carpenter work were as follows: John J. O'Connor, \$19,730; Thomas W. Johnson, \$19,419; Always & Meloy, \$18,900; William Drapau, \$19,467. In all cases the commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Special Meeting Necessary

The municipal council will have to hold a special meeting to draw jurors. The council did not intend to meet again until Tuesday, Sept. 7, but a venire was received from the clerk of court today calling for four traverse jurors to serve in this city and to report at 9:30 o'clock on Monday morning, Sept. 13.

For Chauffeurs' Licenses

Twenty applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the regular weekly examination at city hall this forenoon. These examinations are conducted by the Massachusetts highway commission and the examiners today were Messrs. Bowman and Hubbell.

Attic School Room

Relative to the discontinuance of the school room in the attic of the Edison school, Supt. Molloy stated today that the room has not been occupied for more than a year. It was stated that the room had been vacated recently, but Mr. Molloy says the furniture was taken from the room about a year ago, and it is understood, too, that the room was abandoned as a school room at the initiative of the superintendent, who also recommended the discontinuance of the room on the third floor of the high school.

Opening of Schools

The public schools will open on Sept. 13, and the session will continue until Christmas with no other break except that of Thanksgiving day. Christmas falls on Saturday this year and the schools will close on the Friday before Christmas. One of the reasons for the rule calling for the closing of the schools the week before Christmas is to give the pupils an opportunity to work in the stores during Christmas week, an opportunity that a great many of them take advantage of.

SIR WM. VAN HORNE IMPROVING

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—The condition of Sir William Van Horne, former

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chairman of the board of directors of the Canadian Pacific railroad, was today reported by his physicians to be "steadily improving." His recovery is now looked for. The last bulletin issued today said his condition is "very satisfactory."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

With "Within the Law" as the attraction, the Opera House will be packed all day afternoon and night and all throughout that week as the demand for seats for the Emerson players is already exceptional and since the announcement of the opening of this popular playhouse under the management of the Siles-Emerson company orders for reservations for the opening week and also for the entire season have been pouring in which gives every indication that this season at the Lowell Opera House will be the best that the city has ever known and will provide more enjoyable entertainment than the theatrical records of the city have ever shown.

"Within the Law" is a great show. It is an exceptional play, one with a punch and situation that thrill and grip an audience. The remarkable success of this play in New York, Chicago and Boston and in all the big cities has been wonderful and everywhere throughout the country, theatregoers are requesting the managers to secure the play as an attraction. It is the highest royalty play that Lowell has ever known, which, coupled with the excellent cast of artists who will appear in the play and also the superb scenic and electrical production there is to be offered, will provide Lowell theatregoers just what they have been waiting for for many years.

"Within the Law" will make good in Lowell as it has in every city it has played. It is a big, heart interesting play for man, woman and child. It tells a story that is gripping. It furnishes situations which are true to life. It shows the inner workings of the law and how one can easily work within its confines. It is a story that everyone appreciates.

Miss Ann O'Day, the leading lady of the Emerson players, as Mary Turner, will be seen at her best as Miss O'Day has played the character before with wonderful success. Homer Barton, Doris Booth, Carson Davenport, Clara Sidney, Dorel Goodwin, Joseph Crehan, Walter Van Boeckman and other members of the Emerson players will be seen in the production.

Seats will be on sale next Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock and to avoid disappointment, seats should be secured early. All Lowell loves a good drama and all Lowell is going to see "Within the Law." The production will be the talk for miles around.

B. F. KELTH'S THEATRE

The last feature picture of the supplementary season at the B. F. Kelth theatre, will be shown the final times today and tomorrow. It is none other than that excellent Metro presentation of Charles T. Horan's photo-play, "When a Woman Loves." Emya Wehlen, a Viennese actress of much sound ability, appeared yesterday for the first time locally in this wonderfully attractive piece. She is supported by a thoroughly competent company. The story which Mr. Horan has framed and which Miss Wehlen and her supporting company offer concerns the adventures of a young woman who decides to elope with a millionaire. Owing to a misunderstanding she fails to meet the young man, and he promptly calls the engagement off. However, the young woman, thrilled with the desire to go to New York, goes on her way, and once landed in the metropolis, she runs into many snags. Finally she is greatly reduced, and is forced to wear boy's clothing. She scrapes together some money and plays on the running horses, but is arrested in a raid on the pool room. Through the kindness of a judge she is released, and later goes to a summer hotel where she is used as a decoy. There are many real adventures thereafter, but the girl emerges from them unharmed. The picture is in five parts, and over 400 separate scenes are presented. Five other good pictures are also shown. Beginning Monday vaudeville will come into its own again at the theatre. Seven good acts, headed by Wyatt's Lads and Lassies, will be featured. Seats may now be engaged.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Many a hearty laugh rang through the Merrimack square theatre at all the performances yesterday when they witnessed saw Sam Bernard in his screen debut, "Poor Schmaltz." The plot of this play centers itself around a wig maker who finding business dull plans a quicker way of making money. He chances upon a photograph of a nobleman who possesses socialistic tendencies and makes up to look like the titled German. He then poses as the count and declares himself a sultor for an American heiress. The wealthy young lady induces the cook to pose as the heiress. The cop who loves the cook finds out what is happening and so does Schmaltz's old sweetheart. "The Witness" is another interesting play which will also be seen on the remaining days of this week. The rest of the program consists of a funny Chaplin comedy, a

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TOPSHAM BUTTER, lb.	30c	NEW SHOULDERS, lb.	12c
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FORMOSA TEA, lb.	29c	ROAST SHOULDERS, lb.	12c
CHOICE COFFEE, lb.	18c	FIRST RIB ROAST, lb.	15c
NAPHTHA SOAP, 8 bars.	25c	FIFTH RIB ROAST, lb.	13c
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SPANISH ONIONS, 3 lbs.	14c	FANCY BRISKET, lb.	14c
KARD, can.	8c	FLANK ROLL, lb.	8c
NEW PEAS, can.	7c	THIN RIB, lb.	10c
NEW TOMATOES, can.	7c	ALL LEAN, NO BONE, lb.	12c
JELLY, 5 lbs to a pail.	20c	ROAST PORK, lb.	14c
PASTRY FLOUR, 5 lb. bag.	20c	PORK CHOPS, lb.	16c
BREAD FLOUR, 7 lb. bag.	32c	RUMP BUTTS, lb.	13c
BREAD FLOUR, 12 lb. bag.	54c		
SUGAR, lb.	54c		

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western drama entitled, "Brocho-Billy" and the Paramount travel pictures.

LAKEVIEW PARK

The Sixth Regiment band, Z. I. Blasonette, chief musician, will give two concerts at Lakeview park Sunday.

The Programs:

FIRST PART

March, Staunch and True.....Telke
Overture, Czar and Zimmerman
Popular medley, Sterns All Stars
Feist
Grand selection from Faust.....Gounod
Chillean Dance, Manana.....Missud
Descriptive, Cavalry Charge.....Luders
Popular numbers:
(a.) My Tom Tom Man
(b.) Night Time in Mayo
Songs of the Nation.....Benedicts
Concert, White.....Wallenford
March, Sixth Regiment.....Deignan

SECOND PART

March, The Denver Times.....Chambers
Overture, Dedication of the Temple
Kella-Bela
Popular numbers:
(a.) Listen to That Dixie Band
(b.) Knockout Drops
Selection from the comic opera Sari

Medley of the Old Folks' Songs
Caryll

Porcupine, On the Shores of the St. Lawrence
Patrol, The Blue and the Grey.....Unby
Popular Medley, On the Rialto, Feist
Descriptive, A Hunt in the Black
Bucallousi

(By request)
March, Minstrel Days.....Jewell

WILLOW DALE

A skating race, opened to all amateurs in Lowell will be staged at the Willow Dale rink tonight and indications point to a record crowd. An added incentive for the winner is a chance to meet Nubes and Conlon, reputed to be the best skaters in the city, in a match race. The victor of tonight's event will be hailed as a competent challenger of the title and hence great rivalry exists over the outcome of the contest. Any one who believes he has a chance is invited to compete. Jitneys will convey.

CANOE LAKE PARK

When, years ago, the first protean act was offered in vaudeville, it was the signal for a storm of favorable comment on all sides. Yet at that time but two characters were portrayed by the same artist. This week such an act is offered by Mark Linder and company and almost the same amount of comment is being caused, for not two but six separate and distinct characters are portrayed by the versatile Mark Linder in his protean dramatic sketch, "The Wager."

The LeGrange-Gordon Four in their big musical act offer some of the most brilliant selections up on the xylophone.

Miss Anna Leary, the Lowell girl, in songs and dances, and Jose Case, a singing and talking comedian, who has his audience with him every minute complete the vaudeville.

MUNICIPAL BAND CONCERT

Municipal band concert at Park Garden, Belvidere, Sunday, Aug. 29, 2:30 p. m. by the National band, R. A. Griffiths, conductor. The program:
March, Minstrel Days.....Jewell
Overture, Nabuccodonosor.....Verdi
Selection, Woodland.....Luders
Waltzes, Our Wedding Day.....Tobani
Selection, Maritana.....Wallace
Irish Medley, Sons of Erin.....Rever
Caprice, Geraldine.....Hall
Popular songs:
(a.) "I Want to Linger"
(b.) "Moonlight in Mayo"
(c.) "My Chintown"
Scotch airs, Land of the Heather
Daly
Finale, Songs of the Nation.....Hosmer
"The Star Spangled Banner"

BILLERICA

Work on the erection of the new high school in Billerica has been started by B. W. Kearney, who had a large of men doing excavation work. The job will be rushed along and it is probable the exterior of the building will be completed before the snow flies.

A hearing relative to the extensions of water mains was held in the town hall by the water commissioners last night. The first extension to be put in is the one on Billerica avenue to the town farm. Other extensions include those on Webb Brook road, Richardson street and Liverdale.



DOROTHY DONNELLY IN "THE THIEF" AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

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THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICSSULLIVAN IGNORES TOTH
WILL NOT JOIN FEDS

60. BOSTON MAN HAS NO GROUND
ON WHICH TO DISPUTE THE VICTORY
OF SULLIVAN

The members of the C. Y. M. I. are preparing to welcome home their brother member, Henry F. Sullivan, amateur champion long distance swimmer of America, who swam under the society colors in the great match race against Sam Richards last Saturday, and the welcome promises to be conducted on an elaborate plan. Sullivan will probably decide to return to his home in Centralville next Monday. He is now staying at the home of his pilot, Capt. N. L. Smith in Winthrop, resting up after his great fight against the former champion.

Plans are also under way at the C. Y. M. I. for a banquet to be tendered in his honor at which there will be the largest array of prominent speakers and athletes that ever met at the festive board in this city. Sam Richards, the former champion, and officials of the race will also be invited to attend. It is said: "Final arrangements for this event will be made at the regular meeting of the society to be held next week."

The local boy has decided to ignore the challenge of Charles Tott of the L Street club, and yesterday he gave out the following statement which decisively shows what he thinks of the challenge: "I intend to treat the challenge of Tott issued through the officers of the L Street club with silence. Any man, or group of men, who aspire to be classed as sportsmen and who with cold deliberation assail the integrity of myself and my friends do not warrant serious consideration. Whenever Tott completes some swim worthy of notice, and the public demands it, I will consider a match race with him. I do not hold Tott responsible for the deliberate, mean, and unsportsmanlike inferences that have emanated from his camp."

Sullivan when he issued the statement was commenting upon the statement issued by President Gus Wise, in behalf of the L Street Swimming club.

BIG GOLF TOURNAMENT

142 CONTESTANTS IN DETROIT FOR
21ST NATIONAL AMATEUR TOURNAMENT

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 27.—One hundred and forty-two contestants representing clubs which are scattered from the Atlantic to the Pacific oceans and from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico, are officially ready to compete in the 21st national amateur golf tournament which will begin here tomorrow afternoon.

Most of the better known stars, including Evans, Outmet and Travers, have been in Detroit several days and have played one or more matches on the Country Club course at Grosvenor Point where the championship is to be decided. Fair, though cool weather, has kept the battle ground in fine shape. The low scores turned in yesterday during the practice contests not only showed the tournament favorites to be playing at championship speed but indicated the possibility of some more moderately known entrants gaining national recognition. Par for the course is 72, and several contestants whose ability has not been long ago acclaimed have already made the round in 75.

About 25 club pairs were to take part in the special competition today for the American golf silver trophy. The event was a four-ball, the best ball match for club pairs.

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MARQUARD REFUSES TO REPORT
TO TORONTO AND WANTS HIS UN-
CONDITIONAL RELEASE

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—It was stated today that Rube Marquard, the famous pitcher of the New York National League club, will not report to the Toronto International league club to which he has been released. It was also said that Marquard has no intention of joining the Federal league but believes that if he could obtain an unconditional release from the Giants he could sign with the Boston or Philadelphia club of the National league. Neither of these clubs, however, took advantage of the opportunity to pay the price of his waiver.

Manager McGraw was quoted as saying that he would not give Marquard an unconditional release and that if he wants to continue to draw his \$5000 salary he must report to Toronto. The situation affecting Marquard seems to be deadlocked.

GAMES TOMORROW

N. E. League
Manchester at Lowell (2 games)
Lawrence at Lynn
Worcester at Portland (2 games)
Lowell at Pittsburgh

American
Boston at Cleveland
New York at Detroit
Philadelphia at Chicago
Washington at St. Louis

National
Cincinnati at Boston
Chicago at New York
St. Louis at Philadelphia
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn

LEAGUE STANDINGS

National	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915	1914
Philadelphia	62	50	.558	.464	.464
Brooklyn	62	53	.534	.455	.455
Boston	54	54	.500	.455	.455
Chicago	57	57	.500	.455	.455
Pittsburgh	51	61	.453	.455	.455
St. Louis	57	62	.479	.455	.455
New York	52	60	.464	.455	.455
Cincinnati	54	63	.462	.455	.455
American	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915	1914
Boston	75	38	.667	.573	.573
Detroit	75	42	.641	.504	.504
Chicago	71	46	.607	.475	.475
Washington	59	56	.513	.326	.326
New York	51	56	.451	.467	.467
St. Louis	45	72	.385	.465	.465
Cleveland	44	71	.383	.325	.325
Philadelphia	35	79	.307	.591	.591
Federal	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915	1914
Pittsburgh	55	51	.520	.418	.418
Newark	54	51	.517	.371	.371
Kansas City	55	54	.505	.366	.366
Chicago	55	54	.505	.366	.366
St. Louis	52	56	.482	.348	.348
Brooklyn	52	56	.482	.348	.348
Baltimore	40	78	.339	.532	.532
New England	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915	1914
Portland	58	40	.593	.558	.558
Lawrence	59	45	.567	.516	.516
Worcester	55	43	.562	.501	.501
Lynn	52	51	.505	.444	.444
Lowell	45	52	.464	.420	.420
Lowell	45	53	.459	.358	.358
Manchester	45	53	.459	.311	.311
Fitchburg	41	64	.397	.433	.433

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National
Boston 4, Chicago 4 (9 innings, called darkness).
Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 1.
Pittsburgh 2, New York 1.
Brooklyn 3, St. Louis 1.

American
Detroit 7, Boston 6 (12 innings).
Washington 2, Chicago 1 (13 innings).
New York 6, Cleveland 1.
St. Louis 10, Philadelphia 1.

Federal
Newark 4, Buffalo 1.
Pittsburgh 5, Brooklyn 0.
St. Louis 10, Chicago 6.

New England
Lowell 5, Lynn 1.
Lawrence 7, Worcester 1.
Portland 5, Lowell 1.
Fitchburg 5, Manchester 1.

*Haverhill last year.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Sharps Athletics won their twenty-first straight victory last Saturday by defeating the O. M. I. Cadets by the score of 25 to 7. They are now claiming the 13 and 14 year old championship of the city. They have played most every team their age in the city. If there are any exceptions please notify Sharps' manager through this paper and arrange a game on some Saturday. Those who featured last Saturday were "Dick" Foley whose wonderful pitching allowed the O. M. I. to win two hits. He also hit the ball hard.

"Pop" McCarthy also featured with his homer with three on base. Coops and Rogers also played fine ball.

The Woodhines and South Ends will meet Saturday afternoon on the South common in what is expected to be a fast game. The last meeting of these teams resulted in a South End victory. This time the Woodhines are anxious to avenge their defeat. The South Ends are traveling at a fast clip will be watching. Ryan or Allen will pitch and either is capable of the assignment. All Woodhine players are requested to attend the meeting at the club rooms at the corner of John and 126 street Friday evening to make final arrangements for the Kimball System game which will be played Saturday, Sept. 4th on the South common.

The following players are asked to report Saturday at the South common at 2:15 o'clock: Murphy, Allen, Ryan, J. Manning, Hennessey, Booth, Gray, Mills, McSwain, and Fox. The Lawrence Mfg. Co. is asked to state their return date with the Woodhines.

The Maples will play the Parkviews for the 18-19 year-old championship of city on Saturday, Aug. 28, on Canterbury field.

Each team has won most of its games and a great game is expected. With Horsefall back on first, and Murphy on the mound, and Green behind the bat, the Maples will be greatly strengthened.

The O. M. I. Cadets will play McDermott's Pets at Sheild park. Players report tonight at 7:30 at the school hall.

AMATEUR GAMES TOMORROW

Kimball System vs. Oakleaves of Lawrence at Textile campus at 4 o'clock.
Woodhines vs. P. & Q. South Ends at South common.
O. M. I. Cadets vs. McDermott's Pets.
The Lowell Hampton beach team defeated the regular Hampton beach team by a score of 7 to 6. The Lowell lineup was as follows: Clark C. Cawley

LOU. BRESSLER, ATHLETICS' YOUNG
PITCHER DELIVERING THE GOODS

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—Probably no man in the big leagues has received such a panning by the baseball critics and public as Connie Mack, the manager of the Athletics, this season. This is all due to the fact that Mack broke up his wonderful baseball machine by releasing Bender, Plank and Combs. Selling Eddie Collins and Eddie Murphy to the Chicago White Sox and Jack Barry to the Boston Red Sox. And in addition to this he failed to meet the terms wanted by Home Run Baker, which has kept the latter out of the game for the season. Mack says he will fool them all in a season or two and have an aggregation that will equal or eclipse his great team of former years. Since the season opened Mack has been experimenting with some youngsters and has discovered several among them young Malone, who has been holding down second base. Mack says this youngster will develop into a marvel. He also has a number of pitchers who look very good to him. Lou Bressler, who was with the team, has shown great form of late, and the leader of the Athletics declares he will develop into one of the leading pitchers in the American league in another season. Watch him, says the lanky leader of the Athletics.

p. C. Donohue 1b, E. Donohue 2b, Whaley 3b, Colman ss, J. Donohue 1b, Brennan cf, Canney rf. The features of the game were the pitching and hitting of Canney and the hitting of Brennan and Clark.

BRITTON AND KID LEWIS

Clever Boxers to Appear in Boston
Next Week—Fast Exhibition Expected

From a scientific standpoint the match between Jack Britton of New York and Kid Lewis of England should come close to being the best event of the kind offered at the Atlas A. A. of Boston this season. Many good contests have been pulled off there, but this is easily the cleverest team that has been paired for a battle.

Each exhibited against Mike Glover. Against Britton the South Boston boy made an excellent showing, but with Lewis he failed to uncover the same brand of goods that he displayed with Glover. Some say this was because Lewis is so much faster than Britton. Truly he is a marvel. He has everything as Jim Corbett used to say when he saw a fast young boxer.

His prancing against Glover, White and other boxers served to bewilder them and clever as they were, they had no idea from what angle he intended to deliver his blows.

Both in attack and defence Lewis is a past master. He is hit but little, for his style is such that it is almost impossible for an opponent to counter when he leads. As a careful boxer he hasn't an equal. Many who saw him in the ring with Glover were of the opinion he acted a trifle too careful, and he would have done a great deal better had he mixed it with the South Boston boy. His record of victories speaks for itself.

Lewis and Britton are not strangers

W. HOYT, AGED 15, SAID TO BE THE YOUNGEST PLAYER EVER SIGNED BY MAJORS

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Walter Hoyt, a 15-year-old high school boy at Brooklyn, who has just been signed by John J. McGraw, manager of the New York National league club, is said to be the youngest ball player ever placed under any form of contract by a big league club. Hoyt, who was a pitcher of the Erasmus high school team last year, weighs 165 pounds. After seeing him pitch in a school game Mr. McGraw drew up an agreement with Hoyt's father whereby the Giants are to have the services of the boy when he is old enough to play with them. It may be two or three years before he takes part in a league game.

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LOWELL WHITEWASHED

MARTIN, PORTLAND'S 50. ATLANTIC
TWIRLER, HAD THE GOODS—
SCORE, 5-0

(Special to The Sun)

PORTLAND, Aug. 27.—Hugh Duffy sent George Martin against yesterday's game with Kelchner's Lowell club at Bayside park and he annexed his seventh straight victory and kept clean the slate which hasn't even been threatened with the bluish of defeat since he joined the Duffs after the finish of the South Atlantic league season. This game, like most of the victories Martin wins, was won on a shutout, 5 to 0.

Five hits the strengthened visitors negotiated off Martin's delivery over the usual inning route and a strong wind which carried a fly away spout for one of the quartet. Portland found Joe Houder when it was necessary and rattled nine hits off his southpaw service. One of these, twisted by the wind, went for a two sacker for Jack Dowell.

In the fifth and the sixth innings, Kelchner's hands threatened and in the sixth none were out with two on base. Mr. Martin decided a rally.

With the exception of a lift of a foul fly off first base by Parker, Portland played a perfect game in the field, stole six bases, contributed three sacrifice hits when such were timely and offered a sweet game all around, all things considered.

After Lowell had been retired in order in the first, Clemens was safe on first when Dee let the ball go between his legs. Burns walked, Clemens taking second. Dowell sacrificed but was safe at first on White's poor throw. Farrell was out on a sacrifice fly to Simpson in right and Clemens went on and Burns went to third on the throw. Herndon struck out. Dowell and Burns attempted a double steal, and although Dowell was safe back on first when Moniton dropped Ahearn's throw, Burns stole home. Dowell stole second. Sweat went out at first. White to Munn.

Lowell failed to see first base in the second. For Portland, Lowergan singled to short left. Hayden singled to right. Lowergan evidently thought it was a fly ball that had been caught for a started back to first and was out as he was forced at second when the ball was thrown in. Hayden stole second. Martin struck out. Clemens fled out to Parker in left field.

Lowell went down in order again in the third. With three on for Portland Lowergan singled to left on a bouncer. French singled to right. Clemens went to third on the throw. Hayden singled. Hayden was forced at second. Houder to Dee, but Martin was safe at first on the second, and Martin ran around to third when the ball rolled into the field. French fled out to left. Burns fled out to first. Martin was caught between third and home.

Lowell got three on in the fifth but there was no scoring. For Portland Dowell doubled to left and went to third on a passed ball. Farrell was caught out at first by White. Burns singled and Dowell scored. Herndon stole second and continued to third when Moniton failed to get Ahearn's throw. Ahearn struck out. Lowergan fled out to Simpson.

In Lowell's half of the sixth Barrows singled but was out on a throw. Farrell, Simpson was thrown out at first by Martin and White fled out to Lowergan. Portland was retired in order in the last half.

Three up and three down for Lowell in the seventh. For Portland, Burns walked and stole. Dowell sacrificed and was thrown out at first. Burns went to third. Farrell singled and Burns scored. Herndon fled out to Simpson. Farrell stole second. Sweat singled to right, and Farrell scored from second. Sweat went down to second on the throw. Lowergan was out on a foul fly to Munn.

There was no more scoring.

The score:

PORTLAND

Clemens, rf. 4 0 2 3 1 0 0
Burns, cf. 2 2 0 2 0 0 0
Dowell, 1b. 1 1 1 1 4 0 1
Farrell, 3b. 2 0 1 1 0 0 0
Herndon, 2b. 3 0 1 1 0 0 0
Sweat, 2b. 4 0 2 1 2 0 0
Lowergan, ss. 1 0 1 2 3 0 0

Lowell

Moulton, 2b. 2 0 1 1 0 1 0
Parker, cf. 4 0 0 3 0 0 0
Stimpson, 3b. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0
Barrows, cf. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0
Dee, ss. 4 0 0 3 1 1 0
Stimpson, rf. 2 0 0 3 1 1 0
White, 1b. 4 0 0 1 1 1 0
Ahearn, c. 4 0 0 1 1 1 0
Houser, p. 3 0 1 1 3 0 0

Totals 20 0 0 5 24 10 8
Portland 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 5

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DIAMOND DAZZLES

Double-header tomorrow with Manchester.

That was tough luck, losing to Portland yesterday, but as Lewiston trimmed Lynn it was not so terribly bad.

Dowla in Lawrence they are not sad over the loss of the pennant because they topped Lynn in the race, and that's sufficient consolation.

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Fitchburg has done well. Worcester has been a big loser as is proven by the fact that the team will play no more games at home this season. Lowell is behind and President Eugene B. Fraser of Lynn stated some time ago that Lynn would show a deficit. Lewiston and Manchester have lost heavily. Portland, Lawrence and Fitchburg, no doubt, made the best showing so far as money goes.

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The story concerning the Lowell club is that Andy Roach may retire, but those familiar with conditions be-

Martin, c.	4	0	2	3	1	0
Moulton, 2b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Parker, cf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Stimpson, 3b.	4	0	2	0	0	0
Barrows, cf.	4	0	2	0	0	0
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Military Parade for Governors Greatest Boston Ever Saw— 7000 Soldiers in Line

Hundreds of thousands of people yesterday afternoon looked on and cheered while 7000 men of the National Guard of Massachusetts, mobilized for the visiting governors, tramped through the streets of Boston equipped for duty and uniformed in the green-brown khaki of service, truly "marching as to war."

Never has Boston had such a parade. Probably there never was one seen by so many people, not even that when Admiral Dewey rode through the streets while the country was still ringing with cheers for his victory.

Not since Civil war days, certainly, has there been such a showing of Massachusetts soldiery, so free from the gaiety of display and so impressively pounding home with its measured tread the lesson that this country has men who know what her need may be and are ready for her call.

Of spangles and glitter there was none. Infantry, cavalry, artillery, coast defense, signal corps, hospital corps and wagon train all tramped, clattered and rumbled past with a stern message that seemed ominous. Save for the naval militia in white, all wore the dull khaki that wears well and shows little for an enemy's target.

Would Be Right There

Shoes to hat was the one unromantic color, leaving the faces showing clear and on most of them set lines as if to say "What, if this were answering a call to my country's direst need, I should be right here."

The entire march was between solid-packed lines of people, grating, windows, balconies, roofs, were all crowded with watchers. Cheering and applause there was, yet not as much as in the days of the great parades of the past. It was the earnestness of the parade, but he seems to take much more pleasure in doing things than talking about them.

Supt. of Police Crowley must have gone away with consciousness of the most difficult and best policing of a parade which Boston ever had was an accomplished fact.

There must also have been a considerable number of other men who slept last night beneath the benediction of duty well done. There is not space to print their names.

There were 7000 of them and they wore khaki.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Muelheim in Baden and at Ivory and Clerges in the Argonne.

They also have dropped explosives on St. Bausant and Essey in the Woerthe district.

German Air Raid

German airmen have made an attack with bombs on Clermont-en-Argonne.

French Tank Trenches

The French front north of Soudernach in the Vosges has been straightened by the taking of several trenches which the Germans tried in vain to recapture. The French war office claims.

25,000 Miners Strike

Another strike of coal miners in South Wales again threatens to cause a coal shortage in the British Isles. Already 25,000 miners have gone on strike. The miners are dissatisfied with the arbitration award following the recent strike.

In the Dardanelles

Latest news from the Dardanelles comes through the war office at Constantinople, which reports the repulse of weak attacks against the Turkish left wing at Seddul-Bahr.

British Steamer Sunk

The sinking of the British steamer Palm Grove, presumably by a German submarine, is reported by London. The crew was saved.

Greece Favors Allies

The first reported act of the Venizelos ministry in reaching an agreement for greater trade privileges between Greece and the powers of the quadruple entente, with prohibition against re-exportation by Greece to the central powers or Turkey, is commented upon in Paris as arguing well for further negotiations.

AUSTRO-GERMANS DRIVE RUSSIANS BACK INTO WHITE RUSSIA

LONDON, Aug. 27, 12:17 p. m.—The Austro-German invaders have not only pressed their opponents into old Russia, beyond the political borders of ancient Poland, but have penetrated well beyond the district of Russia proper inhabited by the Poles. This enormous advance has now reached a stage in which the troops of Emperor Nicholas are fighting for existence on the Dnieper and Vistula fronts.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Von Bernstorff tells Lansing the Berlin statement was intended to imply submarines have been ordered to sink no more merchantmen without warning.

Clearance papers refused to British steamer Walsingham at Norfolk News, which is armed with 4-inch gun.

British aviator destroys a German submarine off Ostend.

Italians take Austrian positions in mountains and on the Adriatic front.

Russians force Germans to retreat on Dnieper and Vistula fronts.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED

PASSENGER TRAIN FELL THROUGH BRIDGE NEAR PHOENIX, ARIZONA

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 27.—Four persons were killed and 12 injured when part of a north bound Atchafalaya, Toleka & Santa Fe passenger train from Phoenix to Prescott fell through a bridge at Date creek, 10 miles north of here, today.

The bridge had been weakened by a cloudburst. The engine passed over safely, then a span collapsed, plunging a smoking car into the stream.

WARMER WEATHER PROMISED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Weather bureau experts said today that the cold wave which covered the east today will last only till Sunday and Monday, and vanish into the Atlantic with summer close on its trail.

FINAL CLEAN-UP SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

\$1.00 Shirts for 49c
\$2.00 Silk Shirts for \$1.15
50c Silk Ties for 18c
\$1.00 Straw Hats for 10c
\$15 Raincoats for \$8.50
\$2.00 Soft Hats for 98c
Etc., Etc.

GOVERNORS' CONFERENCE

Continued

of South Carolina denigrated "lynch law" with his approval, provoked further discussion on the part of some who did not have an opportunity to voice their dissent to the "mob rule" sentiment expressed by him at the preceding session. Governor Walsh said that he objected to the statement of Bleese that "when mobs are no longer possible liberty will be dead."

"In my judgment," said the Massachusetts executive, "there can be no liberty without obedience to law."

State Control of Water Power

Former Gov. James H. Hawley of Idaho, who opened the discussion on conservation, favored state control of water power and other resources and said that the "Farris bill" introduced in the United States senate, and providing for federal control of water power development in the "public land" states of the west represented a dangerous encroachment upon the constitutional powers of the states and ought not to be passed.

Ex-Gov. Dix of New York

Former Governor of New York John A. Dix said that the true conservationist was not a reformer, but a restorer. "Due consideration," he said, "should

from history to show that even in the days when penalties inflicted for crime were most severe the extreme measures taken failed to suppress crime. Coming down to the present day, he said:

"I am not going to attempt to support my arguments by elaborate quotations from statistics. There are certain figures, however, which are rather significant, if not conclusive. I refer to the statistics of the federal census bureau of 1910, with reference to the effect of the death penalty upon the commission of murder. These statistics show that in twenty-one of the states having the highest number of homicides per capita in the population, there is not a single state that has

PERSONALS

Mrs. H. E. Bean of Osgood street is visiting relatives in Glen Falls, N. Y.

Miss Ella L. Gale is visiting her sister in New York city.

Mrs. A. Suggen will spend the next two weeks at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. William Bennett and daughter, Florence, are spending their vacation at Providence and Pawtucket, R. I.

Miss Jennette McKee of 81 Varney street, will spend her vacation at Woodstock, N. E.

Miss Mary Meehan of Broadway is spending her vacation at Peabody and Lynn beach.

Misses Josephine O'Brien, Mae Bradley and Jennie Hamel visited friends in Chelsea yesterday afternoon.

Miss Tena Cummings, president of the Bellevue Girls, is spending two weeks with friends in Salem Willows and Peabody.

John J. Burns, manager of the Gilbride department store, is in New York selecting the latest novelties for the fall and winter trade.

The Campfire Girls of Westford are camping at Baptist pond, South Chelmsford, and are chaperoned by Mrs. John P. Wright.

Rev. Mr. Woodbury and family have returned to Lowell after a pleasant vacation spent at their old home in Nashua, N. H.

Misses Margaret Mills, Elizabeth Hurley, Grace Dubuque and Gertrude Crane will journey at Salisbury beach next week.

Dr. Thomas F. Harrington of Boston, formerly of this city, has been dangerously ill, but today's reports state that his condition is much better.

Miss Madeline Hartigan of the A. G. Pollard store has returned from a pleasant vacation spent in Worcester and Springfield.

Miss Catherine Cullen of Minneapolis, Minn., who spent a month in Lowell three years ago, returned to this city yesterday for an indefinite stay with her aunt, Mrs. F. X. A. Hortubise of Fort Hill avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Willmott of Boston, have returned home after a week spent with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lawrence of Beacon street.

Mrs. J. Munger and family are enjoying the sea breeze at their cottage at Salisbury beach. Their guests include Master Joseph and the Misses Margaret and Marie Reynolds.

Mrs. William H. Burke and daughter, Grace, and Miss Mary C. Leary of Hatfield, are the guest of Miss Helen F. Riley of Wampanoag.

Miss Riley teaches school in Hatfield and will resume her teaching there on September 7.

Fred Cummings, city editor of the Haverhill Gazette, with City Editor James J. Hannick of the Newburyport News and Master Maudie of Lowell, are in Lowell and her institutions today.

Mr. Cummings asserts that Lowell has greatly improved, architecturally and otherwise during the dozen years since he left it.

Without losing places

Substitute Letter Carriers May Enlist in Army or Navy and Remain on Waiting Lists

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Postmaster General Burleson has ruled that substitute letter carriers may enlist in the army or navy without losing their places on the waiting list for regular appointment, and may assume their regular positions when discharged from the military service.

much over fifty per cent. per capita, of those committed in Illinois.

"Christianity long ago revoked the doctrine of a tooth for a tooth, and an eye for an eye. Christ prayed the Father, as He saw the thief hanging by His side: 'Father forgive them; for they know not what they do.' Christ himself was suffering the lingering tortures of death at the hands of passion and fury. He did not seek the destruction of those who were murdering Him and the thief by His side, but He prayed that they should see and know God's truth. Verily, God himself has reserved to Himself the final penalty for the sins of His children."

"Society becomes criminal when it seeks, by violence and the blood of its victims, to right a wrong committed against it by such product of its own neglect. For this class we cannot conceive of execution performing any function. The hanging of hundreds or thousands of them, even the massacre of their young would not decrease the crime that springs from the slums and the tenements, so long as the slums remain under the tolerance of an intelligent society."

"Another evidence that execution is not effective is afforded in the records of lynchings and mob violence. Whether there have occurred in the North or in the South, they have not had any appreciable influence in reducing crime of the character which arouse public fury. Lynchings and burnings save the state, but too common today. What community has profited a reduction in crime following a lynching?"

FOR WINTER CAMPAIGN

GERMAN ARMY AND NAVY DEPARTMENTS HAVE SUFFICIENT SUPPLY OF CLOTHING

BERLIN, Aug. 27. (By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The Overseas News agency says:

"The army and navy departments announce that a sufficient supply of woollen garments, shawls, underwear, socks, fur coats, gloves and ear protectors for all requirements of the winter campaign has been provided."

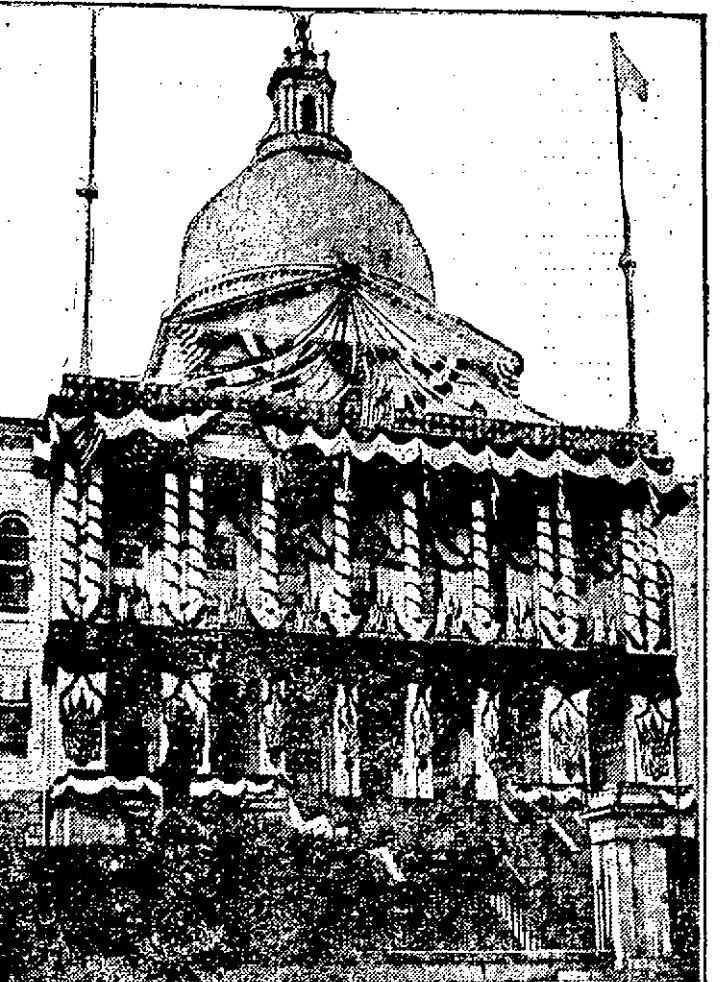
"At a meeting of the budget committee of the reichstag speakers of all parties, including the socialists, heartily applauded the achievements of the various war organizations which are models for all other countries."

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GOVERNOR WALSH



MASSACHUSETTS STATE HOUSE DECORATED FOR MEETING

Gov. Stuart of Virginia

Governor Stuart of Virginia said that Virginia was a conservative state and that her people stood first, last and all the time for a rigid enforcement of the laws.

Governor Walsh said that he had not intended to speak at the session but feared that his silence might be construed as indicating approval by the people of Massachusetts of what had been said before. He continued:

"In one of our courts in this state there is this inscription—'Here speaketh the conscience of the state, restraining the individual will.' The courts are the conscience of the community and the conscience of the community cannot be represented by a mob. There can be no liberty unless

be given to the people, the press and every organization which has for its object the amelioration of conditions which make for the better manhood."

Discussion of Preparedness

In opening the final session of the conference, which was devoted to a discussion of preparedness, Gov. James F. Fierder of New Jersey said:

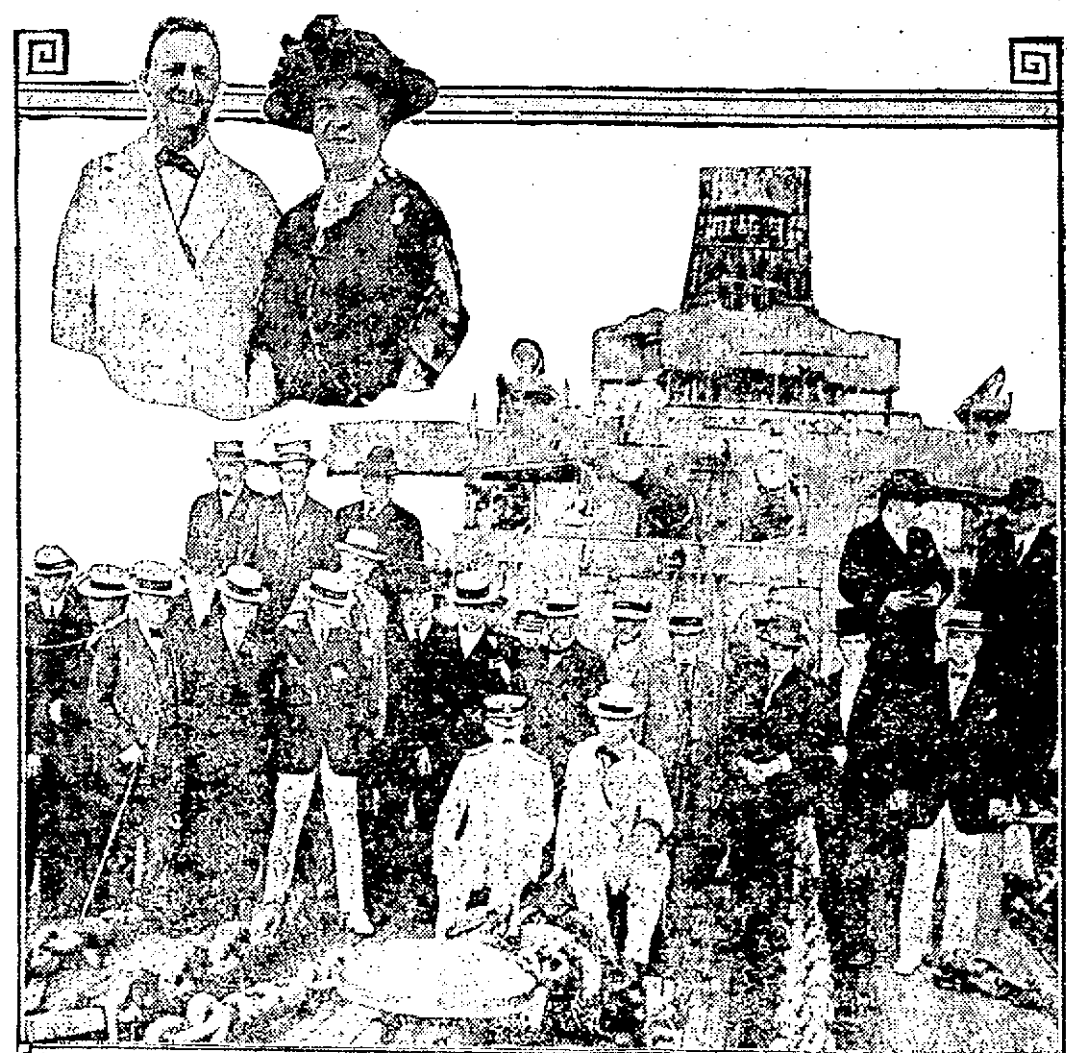
"I take my stand with those who believe most sincerely in peace, but who feel that our United States should make some reasonable preparation against the happening of the unexpected."

Citizens Should Enlist

The states should devote more attention to the building up of the organized militia. Citizens should enlist

abolished capital punishment. These twenty-one states are those which have enforced the death penalty from the time of the organization. Following these twenty-one states come three states, Illinois, Maryland and Kansas, all having the same number per capita of homicides. Of these states, Kansas has abolished the death penalty, Illinois and Maryland have retained it.

"Let us now consider the twenty states which these statistics show to have the lowest number of homicides per capita. Among these twenty, are all the states but one (Kansas) that have abolished capital punishment. The federal statistics, to my mind, show that capital punishment has failed to act as a deterrent, and that in the states where it has been abo-



SECRETARY AND MRS. DANIELS, DANIELS AND FLETCHER WITH GOVERNORS ON WYOMING

the courts continue to have the confidence of the people."

Gov. Stuart in the course of his remarks said that the men of the south had some problems which were peculiarly their own and they of Virginia liked to think that they were meeting them. "Laws," he added, are but a reflection of public sentiment which in almost all cases is but a reflection of public necessity."

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ished, there is a less per capita of homicides than in the states where it has been retained.

"Up to 1913, six states had abolished capital punishment. Washington followed in that year. The United States statistics of 1910, show that five of these are among the twenty with the lowest per capita of homicides, each with a percentage less than .03 in each 10,000 of population. The other non-capital punishment state, Kansas, had the same per capita of homicides as Illinois and Maryland, both capital punishment states."

"Illinois was disgraced by 651 homicides in 1910, after a century of enforcement of capital punishment which in Wisconsin, where it had been abolished, the homicides have not been

much over fifty per cent. per capita, of those committed in Illinois.

"Christianity long ago revoked the doctrine of a tooth for a tooth, and an eye for an eye. Christ prayed the Father, as He saw the thief hanging by His side: 'Father forgive them; for they know not what they do.' Christ himself was suffering the lingering tortures of death at the hands of passion and fury. He did not seek the destruction of those who were murdering Him and the thief by His side, but He prayed that they should see and know God's truth. Verily, God himself has reserved to Himself the final penalty for the sins of His children."

"Society becomes criminal when it seeks, by violence and the blood of its victims, to right a wrong committed against it by such product of its own neglect. For this class we cannot conceive of execution performing any function. The hanging of hundreds or thousands of them, even the massacre of their young would not decrease the crime that springs from the slums and the tenements, so long as the slums remain under the tolerance of an intelligent society."

"Another evidence that execution is not effective is afforded in the records of lynchings and mob violence. Whether there have occurred in the North or in the South, they have not had any appreciable influence in reducing crime of the character which arouse public fury. Lynchings and burnings save the state, but too common today. What community has profited a reduction in crime following a lynching?"

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Choice Roast Beef, per lb.	12 1/2c, 14c, 16c, 18c
Corned Beef, per lb.	10c, 12 1/2c, 15c
Best No. 1 Smoked Shoulders, per lb.	12 1/2c
Small Halves of Hams, per lb.	10c, 12 1/2c, 15c
Pork Chops, per lb.	14c, 16c, 18c
Roast Pork, per lb.	14c, 16c, 18c
Fresh-killed Western Fowl, per lb.	16c
Native Dressed Fowl, per lb.	23c
Roasting Chickens, per lb.	25c, 28c

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Russians Retreating

PRES. WILSON THANKS GOVERNORS FOR SUPPORT

Sends Message to Conference—Preparedness Chief Topic of the Discussion

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—A message from President Wilson in reply to the telegram sent by the governors Tuesday was read when the conference re-assembled today. Addressing Governor Walsh, the president said:

"I deeply appreciate and am greatly heartened by the generous resolution of confidence and support passed by the governors in conference and beg that you will convey to them my heartfelt thanks and my cordial best wishes for a successful and profitable conference. I wish that I could bring the greeting in person."

Walsh Replies to Blessing
The speech yesterday of Cole L. Blessing, in which the former governor whom he asks to sign that there is no danger of the names being published in the newspapers, as the petition will be given to Mayor Murphy personally, and is not like petitions which have to be filed at city hall to which the reporters have access.

PETITIONS ARE OUT

ASKING MAYOR MURPHY TO RUN FOR A SECOND TERM IN VIOLATION OF HIS PROMISE

The last preliminary plan having been perfected by the announcement that a municipal band concert will be held in Park garden in Belvidere, on Sunday evening, thus completing the campaign of "squirring" the discontented ones, a number of petitions were put in circulation asking Mayor Murphy to be a candidate for a second term.

As was stated in The Spillbinder not long ago the petitions are being promoted by a mill agent and a bank man and strenuous efforts are being made to get signatures. Likewise are strenuous efforts being made to get Perry Thompson to keep out of the contest and all sorts of promises of support "two years hence" are being made to Mr. Thompson as an inducement to keep out. But as the petition asks the mayor to break a specific promise made two years ago, Mr. Thompson cannot be blamed if he takes a liberal amount of salt with the promises now being made to him.

Thus far there are more petitions out than signatures on them, for there have been circulated broadcast and any one may have one and start it himself. The body of the petition lavishes the most fulsome praise on Mayor Murphy.

Meanwhile His Honor is at Kennebec, his family ignorant, of course, of the second term "bunk" that is going the rounds at home.

A man went into a barroom this morning and after getting a drink the bartender passed out one of the petitions and asked the customer to sign it. The latter refused and criticized the bartender for offering him the petition. The latter informed him that he was told to ask for signatures and hence had to do it. Several of the petitions appeared in the down town barrooms and hotels today, and it would appear that the promoters believe that the easiest way to get signatures is through the saloons.

One of the promoters who is circulating the petition informs those

THE WAR

will end some day—Here's to the Day—and when it is over, we'll all start life and living anew. Once again we may live as God intended man should live! Why not now prepare for that day? It will be very easy to have some real money with which to begin the new life—it's the only wise way of day to day living. To those who have begun we say Continue! To those who are continuing otherwise, we say—Begin! Begin to Save! Money deposited now with

MIDDLESEX TRUST CO.

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Will commence earning interest on the last day of present month.

Tuesday, Aug. 31

WHO HAS THE LARGEST HANDS IN LOWELL?

Most assuredly the clock on the City Hall. There are very few hands in this city busy day and night. Yet it would be surprising if known how many people are busy most of the night at type setting and other work that cannot be done in the day time.

All over the United States there are hands making articles for our sales floors—good hands, strong hands, skillful hands, useful hands, never tiring, always earning, and many of them laying up something for the rainy day that we hope will never come to them.

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Shorter Days

Longer nights.

More hours indoors.

An ever increasing demand for electric light.

Prepare now for the comforts of fall and winter.

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29-31 MARKET STREET

EVACUATE THE FORTRESS OF OLITA, NEAR KOVNO

6000 Russians Captured—Other German Successes Claimed—Strike of 25,000 So. Wales Miners Threatens Coal Supply—French Aviators Shell German Gas Factory and Stations

The Russians, falling back under German pressure along the line from the east of Kovno southward to Grodno have evacuated the fortress of Olita, 30 miles south of Kovno.

6000 Russians Captured
The retreat of the Russians toward the Niemen in the region to the south of Olita is being harassed by Field Marshal von Hindenburg's forces. Gen.

von Gallwitz reports the capture of 3500 prisoners and five machine guns.

In the fighting to the southeast of Mlawa, in Courland, and east of Kovno 2450 prisoners, four cannon and three machine guns were taken.

Advance Near Brest-Litovsk
Material advances are claimed for the Teutonic armies operating in the vicinity of Brest-Litovsk, the capture

of which by the Germans was announced yesterday.

French Shell German Factory
A French aviator has dropped ten shells on a German factory for making asphyxiating gases at Dornach, Paris reports.

French aeroplane squadrons have bombed the railroad stations at

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er the damage they found the bodies of the mother and her three little girls.

The boy, Warren, Mrs. Boswell and her children and three servants slept in other parts of the house.

Mrs. Boswell was the first of those in the house to discover the fire. She was aroused by the smoke. She awakened her children and called to Mrs. Pershing. Then she opened the door to the hall. A gust of smoke drove her back, and she saw flames in the hallway. She took her children to the stairway, but found it cut off by fire and retreated through her room to the roof of the front porch.

The noise of flames by this time had aroused Elmer, Eugene Santelet, 21st. Infantry, Private C. J. Hallett and another soldier who broke in doors of the house but were forced back by the flames. Then Mrs. Boswell, from the porch roof, threw her two children down, Philip and James, 3 and 6 years old, to the men below, still calling to Mrs. Pershing and jumped herself. Her maid previously had jumped and had been caught. Mrs. Boswell fell in the lower end wrenching her back. She was taken to the Presidio hospital.

Warren Pershing was found unconscious on the floor of his room by Johnson, the Pershing's aged servant, who led a rescue party into the house. The child was revived at the Presidio hospital.

In the corner of the house most burned the rescuers found Mrs. Pershing dead on the floor with her arms across one of the children who was on the bed.

On another bed was another child, the third lay on the floor. The bodies of all were partly burned.

BASEBALL RESULTS
National, first game: Final: Chicago 1, Boston 9.

American, first game: Final: Detroit 8, New York 1.

DEATHS
GAGNON—Gerard, aged 5 months and 4 days, died today at the home of the parents, Octave and Eva Gagnon, 36 Tilden street.

\$1,000,000 PLANT
HONOLULU, Aug. 27.—A contract was closed here today between the Inter-Island Navigation Co. and C. W. Hunt of New York city for the construction in Honolulu harbor of a coal-plant for vessels to have a capacity of 165,000 tons.

understand they coincided entirely with the statement of the German chancellor in the Associated Press despatches, the willingness of the German government to make fullest reparation if it is shown finally that the Arabic was torpedoed without warning. So far the German admiralty has received no report from its submarines which were operating in the Arabic's vicinity.

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hit a grounder to the infield and went out at first. Halstein struck out.

Lowell drew a base on balls. Parker after two unsuccessful attempts to bunt hit across second base for a single.

Then Munn laid a pretty bunt down the third base line and beat the throw filling the bases. At this point Mike Lynch started to perform by throwing his glove in the air and was called down by Catcher Haight. Barrows hit a long fly to Porter and Moulton scored on the putout. Dee hit to Lynch and was out at first. Stinson hit to Martin and went out at first.

Moulton was the whole thing in Lynn's half of the second for Orcutt, Haight and Holmes hit grounders to him and went out at first.

In Lowell's half White hit to Ordway and was out at first on a close decision. Ahern shot one to Lynch and died at first. Green struck out.

Paddy Green struck out three men in the third. Ordway was the first victim. After getting two strikes on Lynch Green hit him and he took first. He then stole second. Martin and Porter struck out.

Lowell landed two runs in the third and added three more in the fourth.

HEARS OF WIFE'S DEATH
GEN. PERSHING TOLD OF TRAGIC DEATH OF WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 27.—News of the death of Mrs. Pershing and three of her children at San Francisco reached Gen. Pershing here today through Associated Press despatches. General Pershing has been preparing a home here for his family. He had expected them to leave San Francisco for El Paso this week. He said he would leave immediately for San Francisco.

Death was caused by suffocation. The bodies were badly burned. Mrs. Pershing and three servants.

A burst of flames from the roof of the general's big two-story frame house, which stands on private grounds, directly in front of the headquarters flag pole, was the first intimation of fire.

The Presidio army fire department rushed to the house and, believing that the occupants had all escaped, centered their energies on the flames. Only the roof of the house was burned. When the firemen entered to look over

Lowell

Moulton, 2b

Parker, 1b

Munn, 1b

Barrows, cf

Dee, ss

Stimpson, rf

White, 3b

Ahern, c

Green, p

Lynn

If, Porter

2b, Gleason

1b, Halstein

cf, Orcutt

rf, Holmes

ss, Ordway

3b, Lynch

p, Martin

Martin was on the mound for Lynn and it looked kind of bad for him in the opening inning. Porter, Lynn's celebrated steal artist opened the game with a base on balls. He attempted to steal second but Ahern nailed him with a pretty throw to Dee. Gleason

GERMANY PROMISES FULL SATISFACTION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, acting on instructions from Berlin, notified Secretary Lansing today that "full satisfaction" would be given to the United States for the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic. The ambassador explained that Germany would make more than a mere disavowal if it is found the Arabic was sunk without warning.

Count von Bernstorff called at the state department early and conferred with Secretary Lansing nearly half an hour. It had been suggested that perhaps Germany was ready also to make reparation for the Americans lost in the Lusitania, but that subject did not come up at today's conference. The disposition of the German embassy is to take up one step at a time. The ambassador did not make public the extent of the instructions from Berlin on which he acted, but it was

RECONSTRUCTION OF MEMORIAL BUILDING

Big Flock of Bidders at Commissioner Putnam's Office—City Hall News

Bids on work in connection with the reconstruction of Memorial hall were opened in the office of Commissioner Newell F. Putnam at 11 o'clock this forenoon and there was a long line of bidders. The bids included mason and brick work, structural steel, carpenter work, marble tablets, plumbing, electrical work and plastering. Bids on plumbing were exceptionally close, there being a difference of only about \$100 between the highest and lowest of fourteen bidders.

The reconstruction of the Memorial building is to be paid for out of the insurance money which amounted to about \$85,000, and the total of the lowest bids received today was \$11,409.49. The heating and ventilating. Continued to page nine

SEARCH FOR MURDERERS THE MEXICAN SITUATION

ONE MAN UNDER ARREST AND SEVERAL RETAINED IN CONNECTION WITH DEATH OF MINISTER

GARY, Ind., Aug. 27.—One man was under arrest and several were detained for examination by the police today in an effort to apprehend the murderers of Rev. Edmund Kayser, who was slain at his home in Tolleston, a suburb, last Tuesday night. The names of the men were withheld and Chief of Police Heintz refused to disclose the names of the evidence against them.

The chief admitted today he had not discovered whether the clergyman was killed because of his pro-German utterances or for other acts which brought him the enmity of some of his neighbors.

Elmer Leroy, an Englishman, said to have denounced Kayser in his church some weeks ago, was taken into custody but later released. A trunk, which it was believed, might contain certain proof of a plot to assassinate the minister, was taken in charge by the police.

Efforts were made today to determine to what extent letters Kayser is said to have written to German officials could have inflamed partisans of the allies against him.

Thomas Modjeski, said to be an inspector at the steel mills here, is said to have been secretly interviewed by the police today in connection with the case. The details were not given out.

Paul J. Tomanczyk, a lawyer told Chief of Police Heintz that just prior to the murder Kayser had completed arrangements for a Gary branch of an arms embargo organization.

Reports that arrangements for another meeting of the Pan-American conferees were denied at the state department.

MARINES OCCUPY CUSTOMS HOUSE
WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The customs house at Port de Paix, Haiti, has been occupied by American marines from the gunboat Nashville.

G. A. R. VETS ELECT OFFICERS
THE WEIRS, Aug. 27.—The closing session of the 33rd encampment of the New Hampshire Veterans' association was held today under excellent weather conditions. Officers were elected as follows: President, Charles W. Stevens, Nashua; first vice president, John R. McCallis, Marlboro; second vice president, Alonzo W. Elliott, Concord; secretary, Matt Shackford, The Weirs; assistant secretary, E. A. Badger, Lakeport; treasurer, Wallace E. Woodworth, Lakeport.

KING NARROWLY ESCAPED
GUSTAVE OF SWEDEN THROWN BETWEEN CAR AND PLATFORM—FOOT WAS JAMMED

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 27, via London, 3:17 p. m.—King Gustave had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday at Jerna. As he was entering his car to proceed to Stockholm the train started with a sudden jerk, throwing him down. His foot was jammed between the car and the platform and he fell heavily. He was picked up quickly and assisted into his car. Except for a slight lameness he is little the worse for the accident.

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INDUSTRY COUNCIL, 1722

Royal Arcanum

Members will take notice that special cars for the outing will leave Merrimack square at 9:30 a. m., Sunday, Aug. 29. Tickets may be procured from the regent before the cars leave the square.

(Signed)
HARVEY J. CHASE, Regent.

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FINE SUITE OF OFFICES In The Sun Building

TO BE VACATED SEPTEMBER FIRST

The corner suite of offices, on the ninth floor of the Sun Building, now occupied by the Gilkey Gown Shop, which has outgrown its present quarters, will be vacated September first and will be for rent at that time.

This is the first vacancy in a corner office since the building was erected and these particular offices are the finest view obtainable in any part of the building.

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25,000 ON STRIKE

South Wales Miners
Demand Lloyd George
Make Good Promise

LONDON, Aug. 27, 1915 p. m.—Reports from the South Wales coal fields this afternoon state that 25,000 miners already have joined the new strike.

The recurrence of labor troubles is due to growing dissatisfaction with the award of W. Runciman, president of the board of trade, who was arbitrator in the recent strike. The situation was strained further when the colliers learned that Mr. Runciman had declined to see a deputation representing them.

The miners charge Mr. Runciman with going behind the arrangement made by David Lloyd George and demand that Mr. Lloyd George make good his promises to them.

Despatches from Cardiff at the time the strike was settled last month said that the terms accepted by the miners as a result of Mr. Lloyd George's trip to Wales provided for a substantial increase in wages and other concessions to the strikers which were considered by them as tantamount to an admission of their claims on nearly all the outstanding points. Mr. Lloyd George won the men over not only by promising concessions but emphasizing the fact that uninterrupted operations of the coal mines was highly essential to the conduct of the war.

Mr. Runciman's award contained wage concessions but rejected a number of demands relating to working conditions, hours of labor and arbitration arrangements.

VOTE TO STRIKE AGAIN

HOLYOKE CARMEN WANT CONTRACT FOR A YEAR ONLY—COMPANY SEEKS LONGER TIME

HOLYOKE, Aug. 27.—The Carmen's union voted last night to go on strike at midnight because the Holyoke Street Railway company refused to agree that the working contract to be made should be for one year only.

The strike is an offshoot of the one settled Aug. 15 after a week's duration. A special arbitration board was recently appointed and conferences have been held for the past few days to determine on what points the company and the employees could agree. These points on which they could not agree were to be submitted to this arbitration board at an early date.

John H. Beardon, for the Trolley-men's union, notified Pres. Louis D. Pellissier of the company yesterday that unless the company agreed at once to make the proposed new working contract for one year only, a strike would be called.

A meeting of the directors was called late yesterday afternoon and the matter discussed. By the agreement of Aug. 15, matters in dispute were to be referred to a board of arbitration. This board consists of W. H. Brooks, selected by the company; Ex-Mayor White, selected by the trolley-men and Attorney Cotter of Boston, selected by Governor Walsh.

The directors held that as the company desired a three-year contract and the trolley-men demanded a one-year contract, the time limit of the contract was properly a "matter in dispute." However, they were willing to submit to the arbitration board the question of whether the time limit of the contract was a matter to be arbitrated. The trolley-men declined to take this view and voted to strike.

State Commissioner Charles G. Wood, who was reached at his home in Concord last night, said that two members of the state board of arbitration would go to Holyoke today and begin an investigation. It is not certain whether further attempts to adjust the differences will be made by that body.

Mayor Woods, who with E. S. Alden, president of the state branch of the American Federation of Labor, brought the strike of two weeks ago to an end, is out of the city.

TRAFFIC TIED UP

HOLYOKE, Aug. 27.—The traction system of the Holyoke St. Railway Co., in this city and the neighboring town of Amherst was tied up for the second time this month by a strike of the 250 car men today. The men quit work because the company refused to consent to a working agreement of only one year's duration, company officials demanding that the agreement cover a period of three years. Arbitration of the question was refused by the employees.

A strike that lasted eight days was called on Aug. 7, the men finally returning to work after an agreement to arbitrate their demands for increased wages had been reached.

Extra trains were operated by the steam railway lines today to care for the suburban traffic.

WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Mrs. H. D. Hammond of Indianapolis was to defend her title today in the final round of the women's western golf championship tournament with Miss Elaine Rosenthal of Chicago as her opponent. Mrs. Hammond is a veteran tournament player, while her opponent is having her first tournament experience.

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About 30 in all, were last season's skirts; sold for \$1.49, \$1.98, all at one price

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Pints.....49c Dozen

Quarts.....59c Dozen

½ Gallon.....79c Dozen

"E. Z." Seal Jars, glass tops, wide mouth—

Pints.....69c Dozen

Quarts.....79c Dozen

½ Gallon.....\$1.10 Dozen

Jelly Tumblers, tin tops, 15c Dozen

"Fits-Em-All" Jar Rubbers, best quality.....10c Dozen

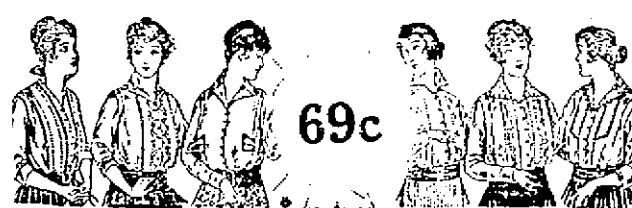
Mason Jar Caps, porcelain lined, 2c Each

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GRANT 8 - HOUR DAY NEW MAILING ORDER

SMITH AND EGGE MANUFACTURING CO. OF BRIDGEPORT ALSO CHANGES CONDITIONS

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 27.—Announcement by the Smith & Egge Manufacturing Co., metal workers, that it had granted the eight hour day to its 250 employees and formal presentation of demands for an eight hour day and other changes in working conditions at the Acme Shear Co., the Alb and E. Henkel Laco Co., and the American Chain Co. were developments in the strike situation here.

The striking employees of the La Resistia Corset Co. were expected to return to work today or tomorrow. The company agreed last night to the demands of the strikers but it was said that certain details remained to be settled before employees would return.

A notice posted at the plant of the Star Shirt Manufacturing Co. announced the closing of the shops indefinitely. Numerous meetings of strikers were arranged for the day. Tonight the strikers at the Canfield Rubber Co. and the employees of the H. O. Canfield Co., rubber goods makers, will have a meeting to discuss general conditions. Thomas H. Flynn, a general organizer for the American Federation of Labor, has been delegated to organize the rubber workers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

REGISTRATION FEE FOR FOURTH CLASS MATTER ARRANGED BY POSTMASTER GENERAL

The following order relative to a change in postal rates will be put into effect Sept. 1: Fourth-class mail shall not be registered, but may be insured against

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Forty out of every 100 women in Massachusetts work for a living. Women can not vote at all municipal elections in Falmouth, Fla.

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FRENCH BANKERS COMING

TO JOIN BRITISH AGENTS IN NEW YORK TO CONSIDER CREDIT BALANCES

PARIS, Aug. 27, noon.—Octave Homberg, of the foreign office and Ernest Mallet, regent of the Bank of France, have been designated by the finance minister, Alexandre Ribot, as the French delegates who are to join British representatives in New York early next month to consider the best means of obtaining French and British credit balances in the United States to stabilize the exchange rates.

At the exchange rates, M. Ribot gave them their instructions today and they are to depart for the United States on Monday. Both the French delegates are eminent bankers.

MORE HAVE RESIGNED

NEW YORK WOMEN MEMBERS ASSOCIATION—FINAL SESSION

OAKLAND, Calif., Aug. 27.—The resignation of Miss Grace C. Strachan, district superintendent of schools at Brooklyn, N. Y., from the National Education association after her defeat for the presidency has been followed. It was announced today by the resignation of Miss Agnes Nightingale of New

York, who managed Miss Strachan's campaign and of five other New York women members of the association. The final joint session of the National Education association and International congress on education was held today. Among the speakers were: Louis P. Lochner, secretary of the Chicago Peace league, who was to talk on "Military Training in Schools" and May Wright Sewall, Eliot, Me., organizer of the International conference of women workers, who had as her subject, "The Spirit of Internationalism."

The subject of peace played a considerable part in the make-up of the program. Among the speakers along this line was Fannie Fern Andrews, Boston, secretary of the American School Peace league, whose subject was "Education of the World for Permanent Peace." "Internationalism" was the subject of John Mese of Munich, Germany.

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EMERSON LOSES ARM

Portland Brakeman Knocked Off Car in Railroad Yards at Brunswick, Maine

BRUNSWICK, Me., Aug. 27.—Albion I. Emerson of Portland, a brakeman on a freight train, was riding on the side of a car preparatory to pulling a coupling pin, as the train passed through the Brunswick station, yesterday noon. He failed to notice a standpipe and was knocked off. The wheels passed over his right arm, which had to be amputated just above the elbow.

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SURPRISE PARTY HELD

MRS. DURANT OF SUMMER ST. PRESENTED TESTIMONIAL PROGRAM BY SOUTH END CLUB

Mrs. Thomas Durant of 141 Summer street, at whose residence the members of the South End club have been royally entertained on several occasions, was given a very pleasant surprise last evening when the members of this well known organization called at her home and presented her a beautiful sewing cabinet. The presentation speech was made by Mr. William Gargan, who spoke in glowing terms of Mrs. Durant's many excellent qualities. Mrs. Durant, who was under the impression that a rehearsal of the minstrel troupe was to be held at her home, was taken completely by surprise and it was several minutes before she was able to thank her friends for the handsome testimonial. Following the presentation, an appetizing supper was served, with James Doland, manager of Pitts' Auto Supply, as the efficient master of ceremonies. In opening the exercises Mr. Doland made a witty speech thanking all for their presence. He then called upon the minstrel troupe to entertain with some of the selections they have given so artistically at their recent performances and the following, under the direction of Edward "Tip" Handley, responded: Messrs. John Quinn, Walter Clough, John Denny, Thos. Bodkins, Walter Lyons, George Fox, William Howe, Reginald Maguire, John Roane, Jr., William Devine, Mr. Ginty and Dancing Jack McArdie.

Daniel O'Dea, William McLoughlin and John Roane, Jr., all endowed with artistic ability, sang "When I Leave the World Behind" and so sweetly was the beautiful number given that it brought down the plaudits of the entire assembly and the contributors were obliged to respond to several encores. Walter Clough gave his solo, "When Irish Eyes are Smiling," and, like his predecessors, he was called back to give an encore. Dancing Jack McArdie, George Fox and William Howe made a hit when they sang "If You Can't Get a Girl in the Summer-time," and they were obliged to give a number of encores. "Spanish Main" by William Devine was a number pleasingly given as were the other selections by the members. The evening closed with chorus singing by the entire minstrel troupe.

LINER CYMRIC SAILS

LEFT NEW YORK FOR LIVERPOOL—104 PASSENGERS, INCLUDING A FEW AMERICANS

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Newspaper reports of the new attitude of Germany regarding submarine warfare caused passengers who sailed for Liverpool today aboard the "White Star" liner Cymric to express their belief that the ship was the safest of British registry to leave this port for Europe since the beginning of the war. The Cymric was loaded to the plimsoll mark with freight. None of the cargo was visible on deck, however. There were 104 passengers aboard, among the number being a few Americans.

19 SHIPS SUNK IN WEEK

BRITISH MERCHANTMEN WITH A TOTAL TONNAGE OF 76,000 SENT TO BOTTOM

LONDON, Aug. 27.—During the week ending Aug. 26, 19 British merchant vessels with a total tonnage of 76,000, and three fishing vessels, were destroyed by submarines or mines. The week was one of the most successful the German underwater craft have had since the commencement of the war.

Fourteen steamers with a total gross tonnage of 47,693 were sunk by German submarines Aug. 19 and 20. The largest was the Arabic. Ten of these vessels were British and four sailed under neutral flags.

MATRIMONIAL

Cook—Thompson

George Owen Cook and Miss Louise Thompson were married Aug. 19 at Nahant, N. H. The couple were attended by Miss Margaret Cook, sister of the bridegroom and Martin Kinard, who acted as bridesmaid and best man respectively. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will be at home to their friends at 132 Lawrence street after Sept. 1.

SEARCH FOR MISSING LINER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The collier Jupiter has been ordered from Vera Cruz to Alacran reef, about in the center of the Gulf of Mexico, in search of the missing United Fruit company's liner Marowijne. The gunboat Sacramento is searching from New Orleans to the reef and the Marietta from Haiti also will touch at the reef on the way north in an effort to sweep the gulf for a trace of the missing vessel. The Marowijne is 13 days overdue from British Honduras.

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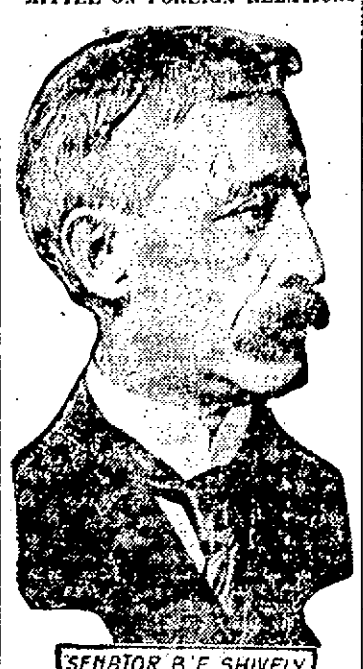
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SENATOR SHIVELY ILL

IS CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS AND MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS



SENATOR B.F. SHIVELY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Information was received in Washington that Senator Benjamin M. Shively of Indiana, chairman of the committee on pensions and second ranking member of the committee on foreign relations, is seriously ill at Brookville, Ind. Shively, Mr. Shively has been ill for a long time. He left Washington on May 11 to enter a sanitarium in New York city and remained there until July 1, when he went to Brookville, much improved in health. Recently he suffered a return of his ailment, a septic form of diabetes, and the accounts reaching Washington represent him as being in a dangerous condition. Senator Shively's home is in South Bend. He served several terms in the national house of representatives as a democrat, but was in private life for years before he was elected to the senate in 1910. He was re-elected last year for another term of six years.

MUST STAND BY FLAG

GOV. ALEXANDER MAKES IMPRESSIVE SPEECH BEFORE JEWISH CITIZENS OF GREATER BOSTON

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—Faneuil hall was crowded last evening by the Jewish citizens of Greater Boston, the occasion being a reception tendered Gov. Moses Alexander of Idaho who is attending the governors' conference. Every seat on the floor and balcony was occupied and many were permitted to stand in back of the balcony, and the overflow in the street in front of the hall was equal to the crowd within.

Gov. Alexander made an enthusiastic address in which he told of the opportunities in this land and urged the Jews to all become American citizens and be prepared to fight for the flag if it ever needed defense.

It was a very patient and enthusiastic crowd in the hall, for it was fully one hour and a half after the stated time for the opening of the meeting before the chairman, Nathan A. Heller, appeared upon the platform.

The first upon the platform were the presiding officer, Congressman Richard Olney, 2nd, and the chairman had begun his opening address when the other speakers arrived.

The march into the hall was led by Max Mitchell and Isaac Heller, president of the Hebrew Immigration Aid society, and Congressman Richard Olney, 2nd, and the chairman had begun his opening address when the other speakers arrived.

Gov. Walsh delivered an address, which was continually interrupted by cheering. Gov. Walsh stated that he was glad to welcome Gov. Alexander to Massachusetts and spoke highly of his Jewish citizenship. At the close of his address the governor left the hall to attend another reception and the large crowd on the street held him up and compelled him to deliver another short address.

The speakers who followed Gov. Walsh in the hall were Postmaster Murray, Congressman Taggart, Congressman Olney, 1st, and Congressman Olney, 2nd, and the chairman had begun his opening address when the other speakers arrived.

STILL HINT COMPULSION

EARL OF SELBORNE SAYS MORE MEN MUST JOIN THE ARMY, VOLUNTARILY OR COMPULSORILY

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Something in the nature of conscription, though the term was not employed, was forecasted by the Earl of Selborne, president of the board of agriculture, in an address yesterday afternoon to a deputation of agricultural landowners which visited him in London.

"Many more men have got to join the army, whether voluntarily or compulsorily," said the earl. "The agricultural laborer has done his part nobly in this war, but the response has been very unequal over the country and I forecast that during the next year men will be taken from districts and farms whence hitherto they have not gone."

"What I shall aim at—and Earl Kitchener has been very sympathetic—is to leave the farmer his foreman, stockman, carter and shepherd, but the rest of the work will have to be done by women or men not hitherto engaged in agriculture."

Earl Selborne emphasized the fact that Russia's reserves had imposed a greater strain on her allies.

"We have a greater burden on our shoulders at the present moment than six months ago," he said. "The financial strain is going to be very great, and the situation is going to demand from every class greater and greater sacrifices."

The speaker stated that the navy had the submarine menace well in hand.

In the light of the country's experience with submarines, however, the agricultural and economic policy of Great Britain, including the broad questions of food production, would have to be revised, he continued.

The committee which he had appointed to deal with increasing the food supply had recommended that farmers should be guaranteed \$11.25 per quarter for wheat, beginning with the harvest of 1915 and continuing until 1920.

In view of circumstances connected with the war, however, Lord Selborne added, the government had decided that it would not incur the additional financial liability involved in the guarantee of arrangements, however made, to supply farmers with labor.

BISHOP HEFFRON SHOT

THE VALUE OF MUSIC

ASSAILANT ARRESTED—SHOT ONCE THROUGH THE RIGHT LUNG AND ONCE IN THE HIP

BERLIN OFFICIAL REPORT

RUSSIAN FORTRESS OF OLITA, ON NIEMEN RIVER, SOUTH OF KOVNO, EVACUATED

BERLIN, Aug. 27, via London, 3.30 p. m.—The Russian fortress of Olita on the Niemen river, 30 miles south of Kovno, has been evacuated. Official announcement to this effect was made here today.

The text of the statement by German army headquarters follows: "Western theatre of war: In Champagne and in the Meuse hills, French trench works were destroyed by mine explosions. In the Vosges a weak advance by the French was easily repulsed."

"Eastern theatre of war: Army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg: Battles at Bausk and at Schoenau, southeast of Altona, and in the region east of Kovno, continue. We took 2450 Russian prisoners, and four cannons and three machine guns were captured."

"Southeast of Kovno, the enemy was defeated. The fortress of Olita has been evacuated by the Russians and was occupied by the Germans."

"Further south German troops are advancing toward the Niemen. The crossing over the Berezowka tributary east of Ossowetz has been won. The pursuit is being carried on along the entire front between the Bohr and Suchawola on the Berezowka and in the Bialystok forest. On the 26th and 27th the army of General von Gallwitz took 3500 prisoners and captured five machine guns."

The army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria is continuing its course. Its right wing has reached a point northeast of Kamieniec-Litovsk.

"Any group of Field Marshal von Mackensen's Northeast of Brest-Litovsk our troops are approaching the high road from Kamieniec-Litovsk. Southeast of Brest-Litovsk the enemy was driven back across the tributary of the Rytla."

DIES TRYING TO SAVE GIRL

KENNEDYPORT, Me., Aug. 27.—Walter Beck, 25, of this town, lost his life yesterday while attempting to rescue Miss Anna Johnson of Englewood, N. J., from drowning.

The girl, who had ventured out beyond her depth, was saved. Beck's body has not been recovered.

REFUGEES FROM HOLY LAND

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The scout cruiser Chester has left Beirut, Syria, with 450 refugees from the Holy Land, according to a report today to the navy department. No details were given. She has previously carried refugees to points of safety.

PRES. WILSON WALKS TO BANK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—President Wilson walked through the business section of Washington today, going to his bank. He was recognized frequently and returned many bows.

RETRIEVING SPENT TORPEDOES PERILOUS SIDE LINE OF WAR



CAPTURING A SPENT TORPEDO

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Risking their lives not in battle, but in an interesting "side line" of the business of war, British sailors almost literally take their lives in their hands when they retrieve the spent German torpedoes which fail to find their marks. Not all of the kaiser's submarine missiles reach their targets, although the general aim is deadly. When the propulsive force is spent the torpedo floats on the surface, but the explosive war head, sensitive to shock, remains. The illustration shows how such a torpedo is handled.

THE VALUE OF MUSIC

CHEERS SOULS OF SOLDIERS DURING BATTLE IN THE TRENCH WARFARE



ROLL IN WAR, JERIN FUSES HINDLER

PARIS, Aug. 27.—French army officers of all ranks know the value of music in cheering up the souls of their men weary by the warfare in the trenches, and the soldiers are encouraged in the hills in the fighting, to exhibit whatever musical talent they possess. One of them was observed and photographed recently while eliciting from a cornet sounds that were more or less musical.

TO DISCONTINUE SERVICE

GREAT NORTHERN STEAMSHIP CO. TO SELL STEAMER MINNESOTA

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 27.—The Great Northern Steamship Co. is arranging to sell its only steamer, the Minnesota, and discontinue trans-Pacific service, which has never been profitable. The Minnesota, now discharging cargo at Vladivostok, will return to Seattle for a load of wheat, lumber, salmon and flour, which will be taken to England by way of Cape Horn, as the Panama canal could not admit the Minnesota, the largest vessel on the Pacific ocean. The company expects to find a buyer for the Minnesota in London. The vessel is valued at \$2,000,000.

DEATHS

MONAHAN—Mrs. Elizabeth Monahan, aged 49 years, died yesterday afternoon at the Chelmsford Street hospital. She leaves her husband, William, and one daughter, Theresa Monahan. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

PATROUILLES—Vasileas Patrouillas, son of Nicholas and Aphrodite, died this morning at the home, 102 Jefferson street, aged 10 months.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MADIGAN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Madigan will take place on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 275 Summer street. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Monahan will take place on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services will be held at St. Peter's church at 1.30 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

TOMPKINS—The funeral of Samuel J. Tompkins will take place tomorrow morning from his home, 378 Fairmount street at 9 o'clock. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Friends are kindly requested not to send flowers.

RODDY—The funeral of Thomas Roddy will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his parents, Michael and Bridget Roddy, 99 Fulton street. Funeral high mass at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

FUNERALS

ANASTASIO—The funeral of Maria J. Anastasio took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John and Ludovica Anastasio, 43 Charles street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church. Rev. Joseph A. Lasko officiated. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SUMMERS—The funeral of Manuel Summers took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home of his parents, Carlos and Virginia Summers, 62 Hanover street. Burial was in the Westlawn cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

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Were \$7, \$8, \$8.50, now	

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of Centralville M. E. church. Miss Louise Jackson and Miss Isabel Hoots sang "Saved by Grace" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." The bearers were Messrs. C. Peters, R. Fox, E. Fallow, J. Webster, Franklin and E. Webster. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the burial service was read by Mr. Pittenger. Among the floral offerings were: Pillow inscribed, "Edward" family and Mr. and Mrs. Strobel, wreath on base, John McInerney, Joseph O'Leary, John Cassidy, Thomas McInerney, John Cassidy, Thomas McInerney, John Cassidy, pillow inscribed "Sad Hour," employees of Reedy mill, and tributes from J. J. McInerney, Mr. and Mrs. John P. McInerney, Mrs. Lemke and family, Mrs. P. McInerney, friends of Massachusetts, beaming room, Miss Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weasner, Alice Jodoin, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sokola, Phyllis family, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Rohrer, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb, Mr. and Mrs. Woessner and family, the German club, Ralph Adie, Edward Adie, William Gaston, Carl Wosner, R. McInerney. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

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ABOLITION OF POLL TAX

QUESTION DISCUSSED AT BOSTON—
COLLECTORS FAVOR THE ELIMINATION OF THIS SYSTEM

BOSTON, August 27.—The question whether the poll tax should be abolished was discussed yesterday before the special recess commission on methods of taxation sitting in the state house. The hearing on this theme will be continued when the commission will meet again Sept. 1.

Collector Richard L. Morey of Gloucester said that the poll tax is an expensive and uneconomical way of raising revenue. He said that municipal councils are opposed to sending to jail those who do not pay their poll tax.

John S. Codman of the Single Tax league said that of all the taxes the poll tax is the most unjust. The poll tax is easily evaded and that has a demoralizing effect on the community. Two-thirds of Boston's poll tax is never collected. The revenue from the poll tax is insignificant in amount.

"The poll tax assessment in 1914 in the state," continued Mr. Codman, "was only \$2,000,000 out of a tax levy of \$87,000,000, only 2.3 per cent. of the tax levy. Not more than 20 per cent. of the assessed polls of Boston represent a net revenue."

Collector Thompson of Brockton favored abolition. William A. Nealey, president of the Lynn Central Labor union, appeared by direction of his organization to favor abolition.

City Treasurer Arthur T. Hobbs of Haverhill opposed the abolition of the poll tax, and said that of the 13,000 assessed polls in Haverhill in 1914 he had collected 87 per cent. He believed

that every man should contribute for the benefits he receives.

Collector Habb of Lynn declared that he thought the principle of the poll tax is unfair. Mayor MacDonald of Beverly sent a letter protesting against abolition, saying that to remove it would be unjust to other taxpayers.

Collector Nichols of Everett opposed the abolition of the poll tax, saying that it can be collected as well and as economically as any other tax. He had collected as high as 92 per cent. of the assessed poll taxes and is now collecting over 80 per cent. of them.

The hearing will be resumed at the state house Sept. 1.

ARREST SEVEN GERMANS

ALLEGED THAT PRISONERS ABOARD REGINA HELENA HAD FALSE PASSPORTS

BARCELONA, Aug. 27, via Paris, 2 a. m.—Seven Germans were arrested last night on board the steamer Regina Helena at the request of the French consul, as they were about to sail for Italy. It is alleged that the prisoners had false passports and intended to try to reach Germany through Italy. One of the men arrested was a former member of the German cruiser Emden, who escaped from the British and reached Lisbon. The police had some difficulty in protecting the Germans from other passengers on the steamer, mostly Italian reservists returning from America.

WERE BURNED TO DEATH

MRS. PERSHING, WIFE OF BRIG. GEN. PERSHING AND THREE CHILDREN PERISHED

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Mrs. John J. Pershing, wife of Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing, was burned to death with three of her four children at her quarters in the Presidio, San Francisco, early today. The children whose lives are lost are Helen, 8, Anna, 6, and Margaret, 5. Warren Pershing, five years old, survived.

Explosion of a night lamp is believed to have caused the tragedy. Mrs. Pershing was a daughter of Senator Warren of Wyoming. Her husband is at El Paso in command of troops along the western border.

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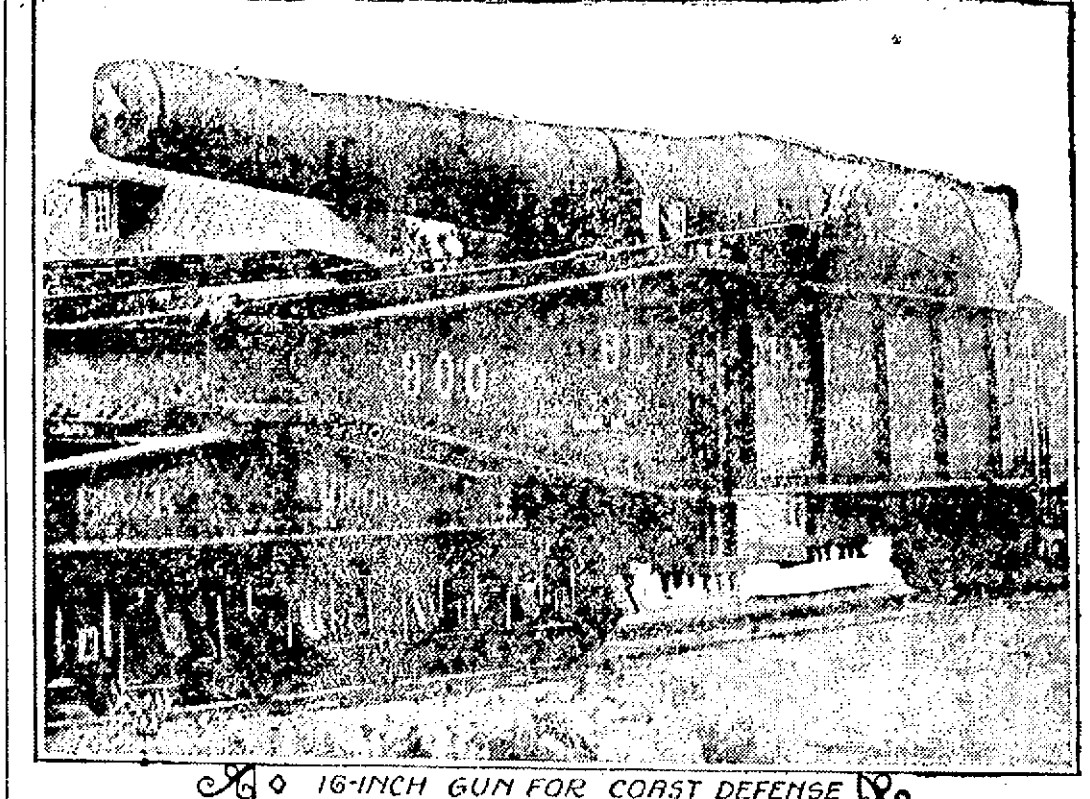
Burglars Rob the Country Home of Charles L. Spencer, of Hartford in Suffield

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 27.—During burglars looted the country home in Suffield, Conn., of Pres. Chas. L. Spencer of the Riverside Trust Company of this city and got away with about \$13,000 worth of jewelry, mostly the property of Mr. Spencer's wife and his daughter, Miss Lillian Spencer.

Among the stolen articles were a diamond-studded, enameled gold watch and several large diamond brooches worth \$5000.

Pennsylvania has nearly 1800 women physicians and clergymen.

SIXTEEN INCH GUNS TO REPLACE SMALLER ORDNANCE IN OUR COAST DEFENSES



16-INCH GUN FOR COAST DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Information obtained regarding the plans of the war department for the mammoth fortress to be erected at Cape Henry, Va., disclosed the fact that the department intends, as rapidly as congress will permit, to replace the guns now installed in all the coast fortifications of the country with gigantic sixteen inch rifles, excelling in power and accuracy any guns ever constructed before. With rifles of this character, army officers say, no hostile warships would be able to get in range of the American coast forts before being subjected to a deadly fire. At present the coast defenses outside New York and other seaport cities are manned by twelve and fourteen inch guns, with a range less than those of the guns on some of the biggest warships of Germany and England, including the British super-Dreadnought Queen Elizabeth, which carries fifteen inch guns. The new sixteen inch rifle will exceed in power the two guns of the same bore recently constructed for the Panama canal defenses, one of which is shown in the illustration. The latter have a total length each of forty-five feet, whereas the guns now planned will have a length of sixty-four feet and will be capable of hurling a projectile weighing a ton almost twenty-five miles.

SINKING OF ARABIC

Continued

Further communications are now expected from Berlin to the German ambassador to the state department from Ambassador Gerard which will advance the negotiations to a point where attacks on passenger carrying ships will be definitely discontinued, at least while the subject is under further discussion. The crisis between the two countries now is regarded as having passed into the realm of diplomacy.

Depends Upon Circumstances

The German ambassador frankly stated, after his interview with Mr. Lansing that his instructions embodied the declaration by the Berlin government that it would give full satisfaction to the American government. That, he declared, meant much more than a disavowal. Of course, he said, the giving of satisfaction would depend upon the circumstances of the attack on the Arabic. The German government did not know yet, he said, whether the Arabic was sunk by a German submarine and without warning, but, if investigation proves that to have been the case, Germany will make full reparation.

The Ambassador Said He Believed

the negotiations over the Arabic would be followed by negotiations over the Lusitania, in view of the official statement in Berlin that a submarine policy satisfactory to the United States would be announced.

Count von Bernstorff said he did not

see the message sent to the state department by Ambassador Gerard.

Sink No More Ships

It is known, however, that Ambassador Gerard's despatch agrees with Count Bernstorff's advice that submarine commanders have been instructed to attack no more merchant ships without warning.

The American government, nevertheless, will press for a clearing up of the entire submarine controversy, be-

fore it will consider the Arabic and Lusitania incidents closed.

In his talks with Ambassador von Bernstorff, Secretary Lansing has taken nothing for granted and has asked for clear explanations of all statements regarding the intention of the German government.

DRASTIC CHANGE OF POLICY

Only Way Germany Can Prevent America From Taking Action, Says London Paper

LONDON, Aug. 27, 11:20 a. m.—"It is suggested that the American government will be satisfied if commanders of German submarines always warn passenger vessels and place their passengers in boats before sinking the vessels," says the Spectator. "We do not believe for a moment that America would consent to this caricature of satisfying international law and humane customs."

"Imagine placing women and children in small boats 50 miles from land, in a high winter sea and piercing cold, and saying that their safety was provided for. Now we are sure that if Germany means to prevent America from taking action of some kind she will have to change her policy drastically."

VICTORY FOR UNITED STATES

London Paper Says "If Bernstorff Speaks With Authority, U. S. Can Claim Notable Victory"

LONDON, Aug. 27, 1:19 p. m.—Cable despatches reporting the statement yesterday of Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador at Washington, to Secretary Lansing that German submarine commanders had been ordered to attack no more merchantmen without warning are displayed prominently today in the London newspapers. The Westminster Gazette says: "If Count von Bernstorff is speaking with full authority, the American government can claim to have won a very notable victory."

MURDER CHARGE

Mrs. Hamlin Accused of Killing Mrs. Davis, a Wealthy Widow

JACKSON, Ky., Aug. 27.—Mrs. Maria Hamlin, who says her home is at Chicago and that she is a daughter-in-law of a former governor of Illinois, was arrested at Portsmouth, this county, today charged with the murder of Mrs. Polly Davis, a wealthy widow.

Mrs. Hamlin, an artist, some months ago came to Portsmouth to paint a series of eastern Kentucky pictures. She met and became attached to Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. Davis is said to have explained to Mrs. Hamlin that she was making her will to charity and asked her in case of her death to see that her property was not appropriated by her relatives.

Shortly afterward Mrs. Davis died of poisoning, physicians say, and then came confusion about the will.

Today Mrs. Hamlin was indicted by the Breathitt circuit court grand jury on the charge of having poisoned Mrs. Davis and forged a will which purported to leave the dead woman's property to her.

Mrs. Hamlin is said to have two children in Illinois. Her husband is dead.

KASINO DANCING CONTEST

Fully 500 people were attracted to the Casino last night by the gliding dancing contest in which six couples were entered, and the innovation was greatly enjoyed by all. Before deciding the contest the judges asked the dancers to give two exhibitions before dealing on the winners. Mr. Bernard Hourke and partner and Mr. Dennis Heslin and partner were finally picked as the prize winners and they received \$15 in gold. They will be privileged to enter the grand prize contest in September.

MATRIMONIAL

Davis—Greenhalge

James Davis and Miss Elizabeth Greenhalge were married at 6 o'clock Wednesday night at the parsonage of the Fifth St. Baptist church by the pastor, Rev. Forrester MacDonald. The bride wore white overalls and carried white sweet peas. She was attended by Miss Grace Davis, who was attired in white lace and carried pink sweet peas. The best man was Leonard Greenhalge. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, 105 Fulton street. The happy couple received many costly gifts. At the close of a brief honeymoon trip they will make their home at 52 Third street.

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TURKS HELD CAPTIVE BY WATCHFUL BRITISH TOMMY



TURKS IN THE ENEMY'S HANDS

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Although the operations on the "west front" battlefields have loomed larger in the minds of the British populace than the fighting on the Gallipoli peninsula, and the recent events in Poland have held the attention of the war experts, many interesting stories are coming from the fields where the British and French are meeting the Turks in the fighting for Constantinople. Communications are slow and uncertain, however, most of the news coming via Athens. The picture shows a British soldier on the peninsula guarding some captured Turkish soldiers.

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Extra Fancy Veal Legs, short cuts, lb. 13 1/2c	Fancy Fresh Killed Fowl, 3 to 5 lbs, each 19c
Forequarters of Veal 11c	Breast of Veal, to Bake 13c
Forequarters of Yearlings 9c	Breast of Lamb, to Bake 13c
Corned Pig's Feet 3c	Salt Ribs 5c
Corned Pig's Ears 4c	Corned Ox Tongues 15c
Corned Snouts 5c	Beach Corned Beef 8c
Best Chicago Rib Chuck to roast 12c	Large Fowl 15c
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Butter Beans, qt. 10c	Parasols, lb. 4c
Shell Beans, 3 qts. 10c	Sweet Potatoes, lb. 4c
Green Snake Beans, qt. 10c	Sweet Peppers, lb. 5c
Carrots, 2 bu. 10c	Hot Peppers, lb. 5c
Native Cabbage, lb. 1c	Parasols, lb. 5c
Cucumbers 2 for 5c	Tomatoes, 3 for 10c
Celery, bleached, bunch 8c	Radish, bunch 1c
Green Corn, doz. 12c	Sauter Squash, lb. 12c
Egg Plant, lb. 4c	Marrow Squash, lb. 12c
Native Endives, pk. 10c	Scallops, bunch 12c
Lettuce 3 for 10c	Yellow Turnips, 3 lbs. 5c
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LIVELY FOSS RALLY

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LOOK IT, REPLIED FOSS

BROCKTON, Aug. 27.—The two-day preliminary Cape Cod campaign of former Governor Eugene N. Foss for a republican nomination for Governor came to a close at Brockton, when 50 people listened to and applauded the prohibition sentiments of the former head executive of the state.

Eight times during the day Mr Foss held fairly well attended rallies. But one of these showed head and shoulders above the rest and it occurred at Onset.

At Onset the former governor launched prohibition theories with a flourish. He said that liquor was a poison, that it was harmful to all mankind, that efficiency suffered because of its use, and other things. And all the while he was talking, a shoulder man—his name was E. Gray, salesman for the Massachusetts Breweries, was getting mad and in the face, down near the hood of the automobile.

"You're a —," suddenly shouted Gray, unable to restrain himself long.

Foss stopped in his speech and fought heartily.

"It don't hurt a man to drink liquor," roared Gray, coming up close to the side of the speaker. "I have drunk a whiskey and seltzer every day for the last 25 years, and it never hurt me."

Foss laughed again. "You look it," he shouted back.

"Well, you look like an old dyed ogger," fumed Gray now worked up to a high pitch. "What were you doing down to Sandwich last night, Foss?"

Gray was at a beer party, that's what he were."

Some of the crowd laughed, while others cried, "Give him a chance—give him a chance."

"Say, what's your business," suddenly shouted Foss, losing his smile just for a moment.

"I'm in the liquor business," came the answer.

"I thought so," chuckled Foss—"You see, ladies and gentlemen what I say prohibition is beginning to pinch—beginning to pinch."

The crowd was in an uproar. Gray continued to assault Foss. One man shouted above the cries for fair play, for Foss to come over with the inside facts about his strike at the Becker-Milling company.

And all the while Foss sailed on about the curse of liquor, amid the antagonistic and friendly jabber and hoots.

Once he stopped, realizing his words

couldn't be heard, and smilingly remarked: "Oh, I'm enjoying all this as much as you are."

"Don't let 'em get your goat, Gene," shouted a callow youth from somewhere in the crowd.

"Don't worry about that," shouted Foss in answer, his face once broad grin. "I've been through this thing before."

Again he sailed in and gradually the talk subsided and he had his audience listening attentively. The biggest majority of them applauded him heartily at the close.

JAPAN RUSHES PLANS

TO UTILIZE ALL AVAILABLE
MEANS FOR INCREASING PRODUCTION OF WAR SUPPLIES

TOKIO, Aug. 27.—The decision of the government to utilize all available means for increasing the production of war munitions for the allies, particularly Russia, has aroused the greatest enthusiasm. Army officers of high rank are arranging the details with manufacturers preparatory to enlarging arsenals and factories. It is understood that France and England have guaranteed payment for these supplies.

THREE BITTEN BY DOG

ANIMAL OWNED BY FRANK SWISTAK KILLED—GIRL IN SERIOUS CONDITION AT ATTLEBORO

ATTLEBORO, Aug. 27.—A dog owned by Frank Swistak of Phillips street, was killed by the police yesterday after it had bitten three persons.

The animal first bit its owner in the hand and arm. It next bit Joseph Swistak, a boy, on the right wrist. The third victim was little Agnes Mitchell, who was bitten through the nose and on the left arm.

Dr. W. E. Rousseau attended the victims and said the condition of the little girl is serious.

Several dogs in the neighborhood were placed under quarantine.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to express their heartfelt thanks to relatives and friends who so generously lent their assistance during their recent bereavement, also to all who sent floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mack,
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Phelps,
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLaughlin
and Family.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

Twenty-five years married and twenty-five years in one place of employment is the record of Mr. Bernard F. Burns, of High street, at least. It will be one week hence for the 25th anniversary of the wedding falls one week from today, Sept. 3. The happy event of quarter of a century ago was described by the old Sun as follows:

"Bernard F. Burns and Miss Mary A. Quinn were married Wednesday at the Immaculate Conception church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. Mr. Michael Burns, brother of the groom, was the best man, and Miss Mary Quinn was bridesmaid. Mr. Burns is employed at Farrell and Conaton's shop and is a prominent member of the Matthew Temperance Institute, of which he is marshal. Miss Quinn is a member of the firm of Miles and Quinn, fashionable dressmakers, in Merrimack street. At 7 o'clock on Tuesday evening a nuptial mass was celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church, by Rev. Fr. Burns. The wedding reception was held at the bride's residence, 61 High street and was very largely attended. Many beautiful presents were received. Mrs. Burns gave a marble-top chamber set; the bride's brother, a range; the bride's mother, a sitting room set; her father, a dining room set; Miss Minnie Lee, a sideboard and there was a large collection of china and glassware, coaches, rockers, etc., and other articles from the Matthew Temperance Institute. The groom's gifts to the bride consisted of a piano and a set of diamonds. Johnson's orchestra was in attendance and William B. McAloon presided at the piano. The McCaffery quartet gave several selections and a delightful evening was enjoyed. The happy young couple departed on the 9.25 train for Providence, Newport and New York. D. L. Page catered."

Mr. and Mrs. Burns are at present enjoying a vacation at the beach, preparatory to the observance of their silver wedding anniversary. Mr. Burns is still in the employ of Farrell and Conaton and is also a "Mat." Billy McAloon continues to manipulate the Ivoires in expert manner but the famous McCaffery quartet is no more. It isn't often that one family will produce a quartet of talented singers, of mixed voices, but the McCaffery family of Belvidere had the talent. The quartet was organized for the amusement of the family but its fame extended beyond the family circle and it was in demand at social gatherings in the city. It was not always available, however, for the leading spirit of the organization, Mr. "Dan" McCaffery was away on the road most of the time being a well known professional singer and comedian. "Dan" was with the famous Bostonian theater troupe, the English opera companies of the country and he was also in the cast of the Dazzler company, when that organization was at the height of its popularity. Dan is now located in Lawrence and at the banquet of the Y. M. C. I., some few months ago he was one of the old timers who sang, and he's there with the goods today. He sang tenor for the McCaffery quartet and his talented sister, Margaret McCaffery, afterward Mrs. Flanagan, whose untimely death some years ago brought the combination, was the soprano. Margaret McCaffery was one of Lowell's leading soprano singers and was the soloist at the Immaculate Conception church for a number of years. Miss Catherine McCaffery sang contralto and Mr. John McCaffery was the baritone. The last named is at present a member of the Immaculate Conception choir.

Swimming at Lakeview

Next Saturday or some day soon Michael Wrenn and Maloney are to give an exhibition of their prowess in the waters of Lakeview.

Quarter of a century ago next Saturday, the enterprising street railway company had a lady swimmer to entertain the crowd, for Miss Cora Beckwith, who at that time was famed all over the country as America's champion swimmer, was in the water.

Lowell with her presence. Annette Kellerman and Rose Pitonoff hadn't appeared on the crest of the wave in those days and Cora Beckwith was the undisputed champion mermmaid outside of the story-books.

The Superior Court

The September session of the superior court quarter of a century ago opened with the late Judge Dunbar, an uncle of Lawyer Frank E. Dunbar, on the bench. Judge Dunbar was a noted jurist and he left behind a worthy nephew to perpetuate the family name.

In the law, Rev. Dr. Greene, the venerable pastor-emeritus of the Elliot church, and at that time its active pastor, gave the opening prayer, a duty which he performed for many terms, being succeeded some years ago by Rev. Mr. Matthews who officiates at the present time. Among the jurors selected from Lowell or its neighborhood were the following: Hiram P. Barker, Billeveria; Clinton Bruce (foreman); Lowell; John Cunningham; Chelmsford; Jonas C. Kendall; Dunstable; George H. Noble; Lowell; Charles H. Parker, Billeveria. The late Nathan D. Pratt and Judge Fred Fisher were the opposing attorneys in the opening case.

New Court of Foresters

A new court of Foresters organized in this city quarter of a century ago took its name after the lamented John Boyle O'Reilly, who had passed away only a few weeks before. The court was organized by the late Joseph D. Fisher, who at that time was a past chief ranger and one of the most enthusiastic Foresters in Lowell. Dr. Frank McAvinue was appointed the court physician. The court met in Ilberian hall.

Changes in Census Methods

Quarter of a century ago the republican city committee at its regular meeting had a lively discussion as to whether the Australian ballot should be used in the local republican caucuses. The Australian ballot was brand new in those days and many of the polls disliked the new order of things. It was voted at this meeting to give the ward committee in each ward full power to use the Australian ballot or not as the caucus demanded. The Australian ballot came into vogue a quarter of a century ago and has remained for it was a big improvement over the old system. In those days its other name was the "secret" ballot, because none could tell for whom a voter was going to express a preference, whereas under the old system his choice was known by the ballot he carried in his hand. This fall the caucus system is to be entirely changed again for on Sept. 21, the party caucuses will be totally abolished. All parties will appear on one ballot and none henceforth will know for what party candidates the voter is to mark his ballot.

Shy of Pay

Judging from the following item in The Sun of quarter of a century ago

the clerks in the assessors' office didn't get any great amount of pay for their services, for the old Sun says:

"At a joint meeting of the committee on finance and accounts Wednesday afternoon, the following assistant clerks of the board of assessors were elected: Michael H. McCue, Duane P. Stacey, Fred G. Milliken. Mr. McCue is an old clerk of the board and was formerly an assessor. The same pay as last year was voted the assistants—\$1.75 per day."

It might be difficult to get clerks to work for that figure these days.

Before White Way Days

Says the old Sun:

Owing to an accident at the electric lighting station, the lights were out for a portion of Monday evening."

Mr. John A. Hunnewell was not the manager in those days, and hence cannot be held responsible.

But a little matter of lights being out at night was nothing extraordinary in the old days. Up to the late Mayor Howe's time, I believe it was, the custom had been for years not to light certain streets lamps at all on moonlight nights. It saved money for the city and would have been a good thing if some arrangement could have been made to keep the moon on the job on moonlight nights. But like any other persons addicted to becoming full at regular intervals, the old boy moon wasn't at all reliable and some nights as you went for a stroll after dark he'd be beaming down upon you and there would hike behind a cloud, and you'd be obliged to light matches to find your way home.

THE OLD TIMES.

MAN STRAPPED TO TREE

MRS. LELAND AND SONS HOLD ALLEGED THIEF FOR THE POLICE—SPEED BOAT STOLEN

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 27.—The speed boat, Reliance, the property of Hermann Oelrichs, valued at \$4000, and capable of 35 knots, was removed from its moorings at the shipyard yesterday morning.

Mr. Oelrichs used the boat Wednesday afternoon and securely moored it. Yesterday morning, when the crew went to prepare the Reliance for the day's use, it was gone.

The police received word from Beach Park, Clinton, Conn., yesterday afternoon, the missing boat came to the place out of order. The man operating it asked for assistance. Mrs. Leland, standing on a piazza, being suspicious, summoned her two sons, strapped the man to a tree, called the sheriff, who came, and placed the stranger under arrest.

Inspector Palmer has gone to Clinton for the man.

FEWER MISHAPS

Good Suggestions are Offered in Report of Accident Board

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—The industrial accident board has prepared a special study, covering 48 places of employment and 56,537 employees, which shows that, as a result of its accident prevention propaganda, a reduction of 41.1 per cent. in the amount of compensation paid has been accomplished. The study compares two different six-month periods, July 1, 1913, to Dec. 31, 1913, and July 1, 1914, to Dec. 31, 1914, and indicates that employers of labor have within their power the ability to keep rates of compensation insurance down to a low level by co-operating with the industrial accident board in its general safety work.

In the forming of safety shop organizations and the adoption of the recommendations of its inspectors to guard danger points.

Over \$7,000,000 was paid out in compensation benefits for the three years ending June 30, 1915. Taking the percentage figure indicated by this study as the proportion of the payments which could have been saved by the adoption of the board's safety propaganda, \$2,870,000 was expended unnecessarily in compensating the victims of industrial accidents. In other words, if employers as a group co-operated with the state board, rates of insurance could be lowered in large degree and the workers of the state would be spared the loss of wages and the economic loss and physical suffering which comes as the result of needless injuries.

The study shows that during the period from July 1, 1913, to Dec. 31, 1913, which will hereafter be referred to as "Group 1," the 48 employers reported 2403 accidents, as against 1501 for the corresponding period in 1914, which will be referred to hereafter as "Group 2." The difference in favor of Group 2 is 502. The number of disability cases reported in Group 1 was 1133 against 907 in Group 2, a difference of 226. There were 422 compensation cases in Group 1, against 301 in Group 2, a difference of 121. Employees lost, as a result of injuries, a total of 22,548 days in Group 1 and only 14,237 in the corresponding period, a reduction of 6075 days. The wage loss was \$34,667 in the period covered in Group 1, and only \$23,155 in the corresponding period, a saving of \$12,472. The sum of \$4035 was paid out in compensation in the first period and only \$5329 in the second, a saving of \$3708, as the result of co-operative prevention work.

It will be noted that the number of reported accidents shows a reduction of 37.1 per cent. This reduction does not show fully the results accomplished, owing to the fact that in the second period there would normally be a larger number of cases reported than in the first period. This is true because, as a result of the investigation, made a better understanding as to the reporting of all injuries was had. The number of disability cases, that is, cases in which there was incapacity for work on any day other than the one on which the injury occurred, was reduced 20 per cent. The number of compensation cases, that is, cases in which the employee was incapacitated for work more than two

weeks, was decreased 25 per cent. This decrease is more important than those stated above, owing to the fact that a reduction in the number of disability cases is a step in the direction of eliminating the more serious types of accidents. The decrease in days lost is figured as 37 per cent., the saving in compensation days at 44 per cent., the

percentage of saving to employees in lost wages is 36, and that to employers in compensation paid is 41 per cent.

The ultimate aim of the board, through its small but efficient inspection staff, is to impress upon employers and employees alike the necessity for and wisdom of thorough co-operation in its accident prevention plans.

When at least 36 per cent. of the loss in wages and 41 per cent. of the benefit paid in compensation may be saved in this manner, it becomes a humane and businesslike proposition to take advantage of the help gratuitously given by this department of the commonwealth.

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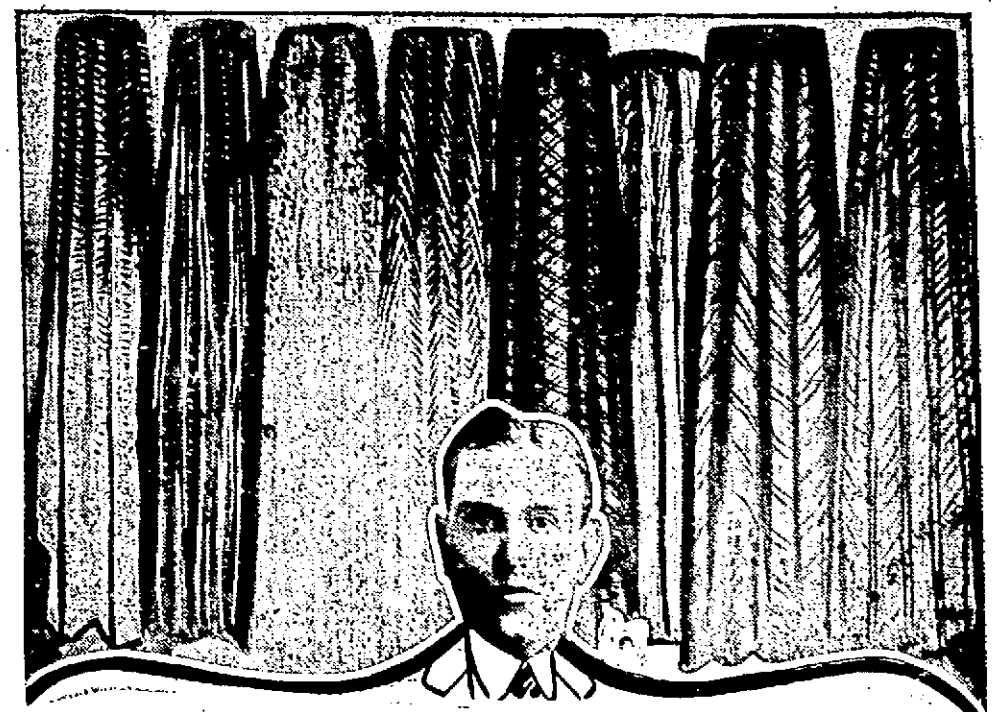
The accumulation of all ends in my store regardless of former prices, not a yard of these goods was bought to sell under \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00, and are guaranteed absolutely wool and worsteds. Most of them have cloth enough to make three piece suits. I have them in all shades, dark grays, blues, blacks and all style colorings. My motto today is the same as in the past, never carry goods from one season to another. I intend to start the fall season Sept. 1st with brand new, fresh goods, Globe Worsteds, Standish Worsteds, Blue and Black Serges, Sherreff's Worsteds included.

WARNING—Woolens will be higher—they cost 20 per cent more today than six weeks ago. Canvases, linings and trimmings are starting to soar. I can assure the man who orders a suit today or Saturday, even if he does not take it for two months, of the lowest prices that he or I may ever live to see, values considered.

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OUR BUILDING VENTURES

A new building in a street is not always an improvement. Besides being new it ought to be of such a type that it will not lower the standard for the immediate neighborhood or establish an undesirable precedent. When it is out of keeping with the buildings in the vicinity or when its uses do not conform to high civic ideals, it may be a detriment rather than an improvement.

Some of the buildings in the vicinity of city hall, or the railroad depot or the court house furnish ample illustration. The contrast between the fine and the cheap is too glaring to be pleasant, and unfortunately when changes come they do not always mean betterment.

At the present time two building ventures are under way in prominent places that afford a striking contrast and give a lesson in what should be done and what should not be done. In one of the most conspicuous points in the city, where thousands pass daily a great apartment block is being erected. Though not nearly completed it already gives a new character to the neighborhood, and adds considerably to the section. The enterprise which prompted it may influence other property owners in the vicinity, and it is to be hoped so for both enterprise and initiative are lacking thereabouts.

At another most important point, near city hall, a chain of one-story stores has been erected. They are pretty and prosperous looking, but not at all in keeping with the character of our main street or the municipal group which they flank. The influence which they exercise will not be for improvement, and it is doubtful if many cities of Massachusetts would permit such buildings under the shadow of their municipal halls.

This mode of lowering standards is also apparent to some extent in our residential districts. Real estate dealers and land speculators get hold of a valuable tract that perhaps was once a beautiful lawn or garden and cut it up into building lots or erect buildings that are not in keeping with those in the vicinity. As a result many fine residences are put on the market at a low figure, and the general character of sections is changed materially. Such changes are apparent in all cities, but here they come with startling suddenness.

This condition can be remedied only by a revision of our building regulations so that property speculators must put the good of the city ahead of their selfish greed. A fine building, such as the Sun building at Merrimack square, dominates the neighborhood and shames unseemly neighbors until its influence is shown in general improvement; a cheap building out of keeping with its surroundings has just the opposite effect. Those who are interested in city planning, the city beautiful, city booming or any of the modern agencies for promoting civic beauty and order should exercise themselves so that Lowell will in future show more interest, intelligence and firmness in dealing with those who contemplate new building ventures.

THE TREE EXPERTS

If it is really true that fifty per cent of the shade trees in Lowell are hopelessly and that an appropriation of \$10,000 is necessary to put the other fifty per cent in condition, we might as well sigh for a glory that is departing and look forward to the day when a tired and wither high treeless city will smelter beneath the summer sun. The loss of half our trees would leave us poor indeed and at present there is as much likelihood of an appropriation of \$10,000 for tree repairs as there is of a new bridge at Pawtucketville this fall.

The fell verdict summarized in the foregoing was delivered by some tree experts from Ohio who came to this city a few days ago to fix up some tree wounds on private property. They looked over the trees along our streets, parks and roads and declared that between modern paving and general neglect the days of shade are to be sadly shortened. Few realize with what rapidity the present supply is decreasing, but those who keep track of trees cut down and never replaced know that there is something more than a superficial warning in the ultimatum of the visiting experts. Let us hope that conditions are not nearly so bad as the experts intimate on a cursory survey.

Lowell is not the only offender in this respect, and it will not be the only mourner for lost trees. The modern paving that shuts off air and nourishment from the roots of the trees has killed them in dozens, and the tree pests, neglected flaws and kindred other causes threaten this remainder. Meanwhile it is notable that while cities such as ours make no great effort to plant trees where they have decayed or have been removed, cities like New York and Chicago construct new streets of such a type that trees may be grown in cool colonades.

We have still some fine elms, maples and chestnuts, reminders of days when all Lowell was a bower of beauty and shade. They took many years to reach their maturity and even if

replaced it would be many more years before a new supply would make as goodly a show.

BOSTON MILK

In view of the many prosecutions for violations of the milk regulations in this city, it may prove of interest to hear what they do in Boston where more emphasis is laid on the prevention of abuses than on their correction. In an effort to keep in constant touch with the milk supply of the dealers and the source of production, Milk Inspector Jordan has just sent a communication to all milk dealers, requesting them to forward to his department before they purchase milk, the names and addresses of farmers with whom they mean to do business. After such notification, no milk may be purchased until permission is given by the milk inspector or those acting for him.

If all transactions are made in good faith, and if officials act in fairness and with an eye to the public good, this system ought to have generally satisfactory results.

If present regulations are enforced intelligently, the law provides for the fullest investigation and supervision, and there would be no great need for such legislation as that intended in the vetoed "clean milk" bill. The Boston officials show one way by which the milk business may be safeguarded in the interest of the public.

FOR GREATER NAVY

The terse and business like address of Secretary Daniels last Wednesday to the visiting governors, on the deck of the Wyoming, proves conclusively that the administration is not so carried away by idealism as to neglect the doctrine of wise preparedness. Without quibbling or striving to belabor the issue, he made the strong claim that the present administration has done more to build up the navy in ships and equipment than any of the preceding administrations. He wisely said that it is the people who must decide how far the country should go, but he showed an inclination to approve of a larger and more efficient navy, adequate for all the needs of defense. If Mr. Daniels at any time believed that money spent in armament was wasted, he did not voice any such belief in Boston, and the great naval pageant which preceded his address seemed to demonstrate that the affairs of our navy are in good hands—despite bitter partisan criticism. Secretary Daniels may not suit the conventional ideal of what such a secretary should be, but he showed ability, genuine patriotism and sound judgment in his recent utterances.

THE NIGHT RIDERS

Recent events in the south have made especially gratifying the news that the federal authorities and state authorities have been partially successful in their attempt to put an end to night riding and other species of lawlessness in Kentucky. More than three score persons have been put on trial and already there have been convictions, with promise of more to come. During the last year there has been a virtual reign of terror in western Kentucky, and scores of persons have been severely flogged and threatened at night while their homes were riddled with bullets. The law has been powerless to deal with the outrages which have come to be tolerated somewhat as lynching has been in that region. The time has come for this nation to declare strongly that mob rule cannot and will not be tolerated. A good beginning has been made in an effort to show Kentucky and other states that no state may set up standards for itself; justice has triumphed partially over license.

GERMANY MAY YIELD

In the latest intimation of its policy given by the German government, an entirely new attitude is taken towards things American. For the first time during the protracted negotiations an admission is made that this nation has a just prelevance with regard to the impairment of our rights by the lawlessness of submarine warfare. It is stated clearly that the commander of the submarine which sank the Arabic "exceeded his instructions," and that Germany will give "full satisfaction" to the United States. This frank admission comes as a relief in a dangerous situation. It precludes the danger of war or any serious break arising from the loss of the Arabic. For the first time, the German government has come to agree not to sink such vessels as the Arabic without warning and allowing passengers time to escape.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Who Thought It?
That Plattsburg camp shows that American patriotism is not a dead thing.—Baltimore American.

Plain As Day
What the Virginia people need is the entire abolition of their constitutional limit to length of legislative sessions.—Fitchburg Sentinel.

Can't Say?
The Georgia jury took three minutes to arrive at the decision that Leo Frank came to his death by be-

ing hanged "by unknown parties." Why so much time?—Providence Tribune.

Not Bryan's Friend
Gen. Carranza doesn't want peace at any price.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

What About Parents?
The lawless and irresponsible freedom of vacation is a detriment to many children.—Manchester Mirror.

Is He Prepared?
Congressman Gardner has been quoted time and time again to the effect that this country is not prepared for a conflict.—Lynn Telegram.

We Laud Them
It takes a mighty good spy system to stand forever against the sleuths who serve the daily newspapers of the country.—Lynn News.

Sure—Take It
Give us, then, a peace which leaves in the victor no sense of easy triumph, and in the defeated no passion for revenge.—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

How They Like 'Em
The Germans are said to be more ardent admirers of Shakespeare than the English themselves. Is it because he is dead?—Fitchburg News.

Bad News Surely
Maryland says that the soft shell crab is threatened with extinction.—Brookton Enterprise.

SEEN AND HEARD

Sometimes it rests a man to do something foolish.

Some men seem to feel that they are nonentities unless they have some complaints to make.

The commissioner at city hall was dictating to his stenographer. The dictation had to do with bids and the commissioner finished by stating that he would reserve the right to reject all proposals.

"Doesn't that sound a bit womanish?" queried the stenographer. "What do you mean?" asked the commissioner. "Right to reject all proposals," replied the stenographer.

An Ideal Office Boy

The youth was an applicant for a job where his principal duty would be to ward off by evasive answers the nuisances who daily haunt the place. "Where have you been employed?" queried the manager. "Oh, here and there," replied the applicant briefly. "Humph! What were you doing?" "Oh, this and that," was the guarded answer. "You'll do," said the manager admiringly; and the youth now occupies a desk near the inquiry window of the outer office, and dispenses peevish and indignant answers with liberality to all comers.

He Takes One Annually

The tramp looked shrewdly at Miss Wary, and she returned his gaze with equal shrewdness, but her expression did not soften in the least. "You see, it's like this, ma'am. Six months ago I had a little home of my own, but I made an unfortunate marriage. My wife's temper was such that it kept me in hot water all the time."

Caught in the Act

There is a lady in Richmond who has in her employ a darky servant of a most curious disposition, says The Philadelphia Ledger. "Did the postman leave any letters for you?" "The mistress asked on one occasion on return from a call in the neighborhood.

"There ain't nuthin' but a postal card, ma'am," said Lily. "Who is it from?" asked the mistress curiously. "Dead," I don't know, ma'am," said Lily, with an air of entire innocence. "Well, any one that sends me a message on a postal card is either very stupid or impudent," suggested the lady of the house.

"Excuse me, ma'am," said Lily with dignity, "but that ain't no way to talk 'bout yo' own mother!"

The Country Road

The quiet country road is now a thing of the past, especially the roads that are in good condition for automobile driving. Anyone can easily become convinced of that by taking a

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Mrs. Clara Shaw of Providence Used Wonderful Remedy

Mrs. Clara Shaw of 493 Dexter St., Providence, R. I., was a sufferer from stomach and liver troubles for many years. She was treated both in the United States and abroad. She underwent an operation. Still she suffered. Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and found swift relief. In a letter telling of her case she said: "I received your sample treatment the day before Christmas and it saved my life, for I was almost gone. I had an inflammation that got right up in my throat and seemed to choke me. My neighbors say it is a miracle, as they know how I suffered. I am better now than I have been for 20 years."

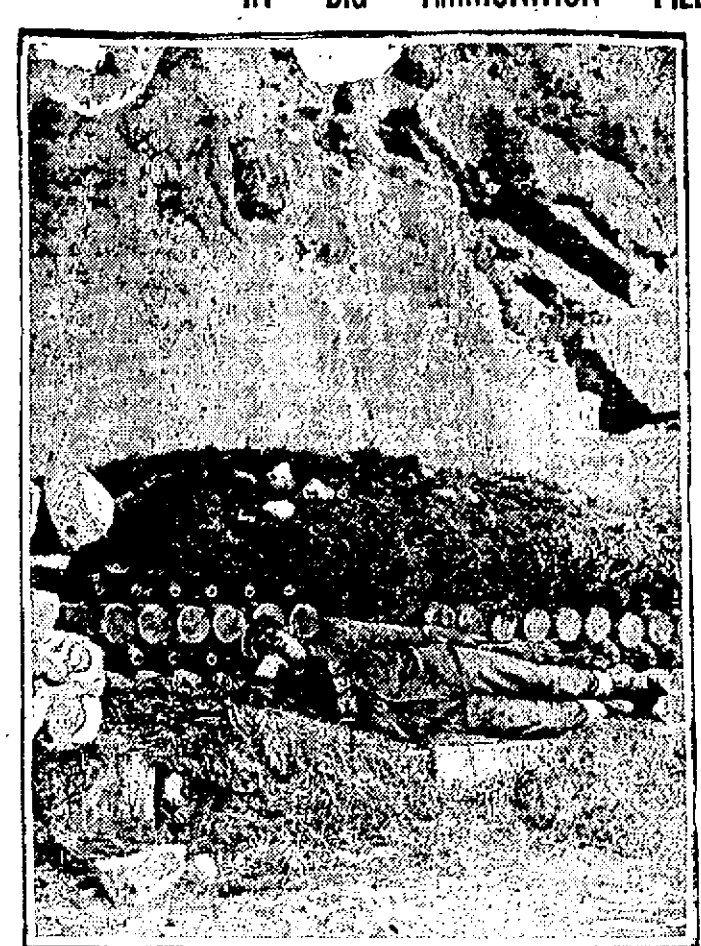
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WONG QUON,
WONG BING,
Chin Leo Restaurant.

"TOMMY" SNATCHES A NAP IN BIG AMMUNITION PILE



ASLEEP AMID SHELLS

ATHENS, Aug. 27.—Set to guard some spare ammunition, a British fighter took advantage of a lull in the demand for shells and snatched a nap. He was "snapped" by a photographer while doing so. The pile of ammunition in which he had made his resting place contained enough explosive material to blow up half a city, but Tommy slumbered on. This indifference to danger, in spite of the frightfully increased risks of modern warfare, has been frequently commented upon in all of the armies engaged in the war.

trip over some of the country roads which form the highway arteries between two cities. For instance, one who enjoyed a trip down below Haverhill one Sunday recently reports that on the road leading from Groveland to Newburyport there was a continuous stream of machines, the machine that he was in passing over 40 other machines in less than ten minutes. With the "honk honk" of so many autos continually passing, quiet country life is hardly what it used to be years ago. And this is not only true in Massachusetts, but is true as well in rural states. Take New Hampshire, for instance. It has 12,000 autos registered in the state, and this does not include the large number that come from out of the state that are every day using her roads. Up through the Crawford and Franconia notches, the Crater and Franconia notches, of a Sunday, there is at times an actual procession of machines passing. New Hampshire has some good roads—as well as some awfully poor ones—and the good ones which happen to run through the most picturesque parts of the state are getting their full share of travel during the summer months.

Dream Castles
A stretch of golden sand that slopes to meet the curling sea,
A place of meriment and mirth. And there with fancy free,
I watch the little wonders worked with bucket and a spade—
A tiny fellow busy with the castle he has made.

It is the castle of his hopes, and shapeless though it seems,

SLEEPYTIME TALES

HARRY'S FISHING TRIP

Once upon a time a little boy named Harry lived near the seashore and in the summer he went to the beach nearly every day with his mother. One day an old fisherman asked him if he would like to go out with him in his boat fishing. Of course he did, and his mother gave her permission for she knew that the fisherman was very careful and would take good care of him.

So they sailed away one morning with Harry's mother waving good by. Very soon it began to be quite rough and the boat began to toss about so that Harry could hardly sit on the seat. The fisherman gave him a line and some bait and Harry threw out his line and waited for a bite.

All at once he felt something tugging at the line and he began to pull it up. Up it came with a big codfish on the hook. How proud he was of his catch. He put it in a basket and took it home to his mother.

Soon the boat began to rock again more than ever. The waves grew very high and Harry felt so sick he had to lie down. Oh, how ill he was. He had never felt so sick in all his life and he would have given everything he ever possessed to have been ashore and home in his own little bed.

At last he fell asleep and when he woke up he found that he felt much better and was very hungry. They were sailing towards home and the wind had gone down so the water was pretty smooth again. Harry went on deck and saw that the man had caught a great many fish while he had been sleeping and that he was getting some of them ready to cook for supper.

When supper was ready Harry sat down and ate more fish than the big fisherman as he felt he had never been so terribly hungry before.

When they reached the shore Harry carried his fish home and his mother cooked it for dinner the next day.

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point near Elmore. The chauffeur was taken to the police station by Patrolman Kenney, and when questioned about the accident said the man and two women were crossing when he approached in his car. He said he stopped his car to allow the people to go by, and as soon as he turned on the power again, the man walked into the path of the machine. The injured man was taken to nearby house, where a doctor was summoned. The man refused to give his name. He was badly shaken but had no bones broken.

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NO. CHELMSFORD NEWS

Mills Quite Busy—Game Wardens Alert—Building Activity—Social and Personal News

The mill situation in North Chelmsford has shown a decided improvement within the past month and at the present time all the industries in the village are running prosperously. The Silesia mills are running full time days, and in certain departments night work is being done. The G. C. Moore mills are operating day and night forces. The machine plant still maintains its day and night schedule and the Lowell Textile Co. has all the business it can handle.

Building Activities

Mr. George Marinel is erecting a new garage near his residence at Stevens' corner. The garage will be of cement and will cost in the vicinity of \$400. He is supervising the work himself and has employed a number of men to help him. Mr. Marinel recently purchased an Overland touring car, and in the fall he will buy an auto truck for delivering ice cream.

The old store formerly occupied by Mrs. J. Marinel directly opposite the new store will be rebuilt by the owner, Mr. P. Henry Harrington of Grantville, and work on the foundation has already been started. A tenant has been found for the new store, it is understood. A new waiting station it is said will also be erected near the new store.

Need Police Protection

Dancing at Crystal lake will probably be done away with unless the town fathers see fit to revoke their order for a police officer at all dancing parties. The dances up to date have been conducted by one of the town orchestras, and although the members of the orchestra say they have not made a fortune at the venture, they are willing to continue providing they are not compelled to pay a police officer. If compulsory police protection is forced upon them, the members of the orchestra state they will discontinue playing.

St. Alban's Mission

The services at St. Alban's mission on Sunday evening will be conducted at the regular hour and Rev. Wilson Waters of Chelmsford Centre will preach. A special musical program has been arranged for the services.

Dunnigan's Friends Elated

The many friends of James P. Dunnigan are elated over the fact that he will get the democratic nomination for senator unopposed in the eighth senatorial district, and they feel confident

that even without the presence of a progressive candidate, Mr. Dunnigan will make a strong fight for final honors at the fall election. Judging from the talk overheard in the village, the people haven't forgotten the stand the man who is to be Mr. Dunnigan's opponent took on the milk bill, and the majority are out to help Mr. Dunnigan to the office.

Fishes Saved

State Game Commissioner Larkin and J. A. Peck, state game warden, are now receiving the congratulations of the fishermen of the village for their recent prompt action in saving several thousand fishes from destruction. Owing to the recent heavy rains the fish in Crystal lake were washed down the canal to the gates of the Silesia mills. The state officials, having been promptly notified, the canal was drained and the two state officials busied themselves in transferring the catch, consisting of herring, bass and white perch, into the lake. It meant a whole lot of work on their part, but they accomplished it without the loss of a single fish.

Court Wannalancit

Court Wannalancit, M. C. O. F., held its regular meeting this week in Foresters' hall, Mount Pleasant street, with Chief Ranger Michael Walsh in the chair. A list of routine business was transacted and special attention was given to the report presented by the members of the outing committee, which proved entirely satisfactory to all. All the members who assisted in the carrying out of arrangements of the recent successful clam bake were accorded a rising vote of thanks for their efforts. Plans for the fall meetings were also considered, in order to make the future sessions for the court of an attractive character for all concerned. During the meeting two special committees were appointed for the purpose of taking up matters of interest to the organization, with instructions to report thereon at the next regular meeting.

Personals

Miss Veronica Lowe is spending a vacation in New York.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Blachon at their home in Dunstable road this week.

Miss Rosella Monahan is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Nantasket beach.

The families of Messrs. Ed. Murphy and Edward Tucker are at Salisbury beach.

CONGRESSMAN WHO WOULD HAVE GOVERNMENT SEIZE BIG FORTUNES



CONGRESSMAN WALSH—MRS. J. BORDEN HARRIMAN—

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The commission on industrial relations, after two years of work, has been unable to agree on any program of social legislation to be submitted to congress. The life of the commission expires on Aug. 23. Two reports have been prepared—a majority report signed by the three representatives of capital and by Professor John R. Commons and Mrs. J. Borden Harriman and a minority report signed by Chairman Frank P. Walsh and the three representatives of labor. In a statement Harris Weinstein of San Francisco, an employee member of the commission, said the members found themselves to be unalterably divided on social questions and that two reports was the only solution of the

deadlock. One of the rocks on which the commission was hopelessly split was a recommendation in the report drafted by Chief of Staff Basil M. Manley and fostered by Chairman Walsh that congress enact laws confiscating, upon inheritance, all great fortunes in excess of \$1,000,000. In other words, Mr. Walsh and the three labor members of the commission proposed to forbid heirs of wealthy Americans from inheriting more than \$1,000,000 from any one estate. All in excess would go to the federal government. Professor Commons, Mrs. Harriman and the three members of the commission representing employers, refused to give serious consideration to such a proposal.

TWO KILLED AT CROSSING

UNDERTAKER AND NURSE WERE HURLED 50 FEET WHEN TRAIN STRUCK AUTO AT ACUSHNET

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 27.—Henry P. Wilson, 50 years old, one of the leading undertakers and a member of one of the oldest families of this city and Miss Frances Allen, 35 years old, a nurse formerly of Providence, were killed late yesterday afternoon when, in crossing the New Haven tracks at the junction with Tarklin road, at Acushnet, the auto in which they were riding was struck by the 5 o'clock train for Boston.

Wilson and Miss Allen had been autoing during the afternoon and were crossing through Acushnet on their way to this city in the Wilson automobile. As they were approaching the railroad crossing on the New Haven railroad an accommodation train was slowing down for a stop at the near-by station.

Wilson did not stay his automobile and tried to cross ahead of the train. The engine caught his car about its center and threw it fully 50 feet from the scene. The machine, with Wilson and Miss Allen still in it, was rolled over and over.

Both were pinned under the car. When the machine was righted Miss Allen was dead. Wilson was conscious and was able to sit up. He was rushed to the Derby hospital, where he died about 8:30 o'clock.

Wilson is survived by his wife and seven children. Mrs. Wilson is one of the prominent leaders of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's clubs and was formerly president of the local branch. She is a member of the local school committee, elected by the citizens at large. She has been very prominent in social research work.

GREECE FAVORS ALLIES

AGREEMENT WITH ENTENTE POWERS UPON GREATER TRADE PRIVILEGES

PARIS, Aug. 27, 5:45 a. m.—Representatives of the entente powers and Greece, according to a despatch from Athens to the Havas agency, have reached an agreement upon greater trade privileges between these countries, which has produced an impression that the public opinion in Greece favors the allies.

Henceforth all importations to Greece will be allowed without hindrance on the basis of trade statistics. Greece undertakes to prevent re-exportation to the central powers of Turkey and to permit free transit and access to Greek territory to all goods destined for Bulgaria and Serbia. Participants of the entente allies comment upon this first act of the Venizelos ministry as a good augury for further negotiations.

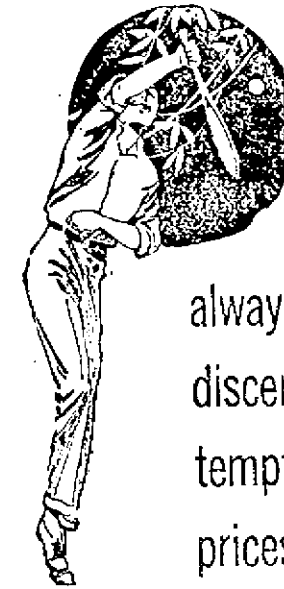
CHINESE STUDENT ALLIANCE MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Aug. 27.—Chinese students, men and women, from the colleges and universities throughout the east gathered here today for the opening sessions of the 11th annual conference of the Chinese Students Alliance of the United States. The sessions, which are being held at Wesleyan university will continue a week.

Among the questions to be considered will be national defense, advancement of education, foreign relations, economic and industrial reconstruction. In addition there will be debates between groups from different institutions both in Chinese and English, and athletic events.

The rates of pay for women as a whole in Oregon have been increased. Weddings in London have increased 50 per cent. since the war began.

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EAST SECTION

AUTO GLOVES

Gannet and Short Gloves, salesman's samples, at 1-3 to 1-2 less than regular prices; black, gray and tan; best makes, medium and light weights. Regular prices 50c to \$5.00, 39c to \$2.50

MEN'S SILK AND SILK Lisle HOSE 25c

30 dozen plain colors and shades, all first quality, full fashioned and seamless knit. Regular prices 35c and 50c. To close.....25c Pair

MEN'S NECKWEAR 29c

Broken assortments of Four-in-Hands, this season's styles, only a few of each set left. Regular price 50c each. To close.....29c

LEFT AISLE

RARE CURTAIN VALUES AND COUCH COVER SPECIALS

READY-TO-HANG LACE CURTAINS	NEW CABLE NET LACE CURTAINS	COUCH COVERS
\$1.00 quality.....79c Pair	Best Wearing Curtains Made	98c Couch Covers.....69c
\$1.25 quality.....89c Pair	\$1.98 quality.....\$1.25 Pair	\$1.25 Tapestry Covers.....98c
\$1.50 quality.....98c Pair	\$2.50 quality.....\$1.50 Pair	\$1.75 Empire Covers.....\$1.25
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\$1.98 quality.....\$1.50 Pair	\$3.50 quality.....\$2.00 Pair	\$2.75 Oriental Covers.....\$1.98
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\$2.50 quality.....\$2.00 Pair	\$5.00 quality.....\$2.98 Pair	\$4.00 Verdure Covers.....\$2.98
\$3.50 quality.....\$2.50 Pair	\$6.00 quality.....\$3.98 Pair	\$5.00 Trench Covers.....\$3.50
\$1.00 quality.....\$3.00 Pair	\$7.00 quality.....\$5.00 Pair	\$6.00 Turkaman Covers.....\$3.98
	\$8.00 quality.....\$5.98 Pair	\$7.50 Persian Covers.....\$4.98
		\$8.50 Velour Covers.....\$5.98
		\$10 Velour Covers.....\$8.50
		\$15 Oriental Moquette Covers.....\$12.50

New Portieres, in Tapestry and Velours, \$1.59 to \$18.00 Per Pair

Plain Marquisette Scrim—White, cream and Arabian, 38 in. wide. Regular price 25c yard. Best for drawn work curtains of all kinds. Special price.....15c a Yard

A SPECIAL RUG OFFER—WILTON

\$25.00 Rugs, seamed, 8'4" x 10'4" ft. Special price.....\$12.98

\$29.00 Rugs, seamed, 9' x 12 ft., good Persian and Oriental designs. Special price.....\$14.98

EAST SECTION

Velour Portieres, all colors per orders, single face or duplex.....\$5.00 to \$25.00 Per Pair

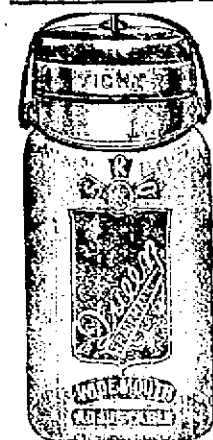
Extra Fine Arabian Scrim—This is the best value ever offered in scrim. Special price, 12 1/2c Yard

WEAVE VELVET ART SQUARES

\$27.50 Art Squares, one piece seamless, 8' x 10' 1/2 ft. Special price.....\$14.98

\$30.00 Art Squares, one piece seamless, 9' x 12 ft., Oriental patterns and colorings. Special price.....\$16.98

SECOND FLOOR



IN OUR HOUSEFURNISHING DEPT.

QUEEN FRUIT JARS

(Lightning Top)

Square shape with wide mouth.

1/2 Pint Size.....69c Dozen

Pint Size.....75c Dozen

Quart Size.....98c Dozen

B. B. "HANDEE" DUSTLESS MOP

For use on hardwood and finished floors.

Regular price 75c.

Special at Each.....49c

ON SALE MERRIMACK STREET BASEMENT

UNDERPRICE BASEMENT

MEN'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR AT REDUCED PRICES

Men's Jersey Underwear—Good quality, shirts and drawers; regular 25c value. Reduced to.....17c Each

Men's Fine Jersey Underwear—Ecru; shirts with short sleeves; drawers made with fine jean waist band and double seat. Shirts and drawers, 50c garments. Reduced to 29c Each

Men's Balbriggan Underwear—Men's Fine Balbriggan Underwear, shirts and drawers, made of fine combed yarn; shirts with short sleeves; drawers with double seat and fine jean waist bands. 50c value. Reduced to.....29c Each

Men's Keep Kool Union Suits—30 dozen of this fine summer underwear, made of good combed.....35c a Suit

Athletic Shirts—Men's White Athletic Shirts, fine quality, 50c value. Reduced to 19c Each

Men's Union Suits—Men's White Union Suits, knee length and short sleeves. Reduced to.....20c

Men's Union Suits—Men's Fine Jersey Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length, 75c value. Reduced to.....50c Suit

Men's Union Suits—Men's Fine Jersey Union Suits, ecru, made of fine combed yarn; short sleeves; 50c garments. Reduced to.....55c

Nainsook Union Suits—About 20 dozen Men's Union Suits, made of fine white checked nainsook; 50c garments. Reduced to.....35c

Boys' Jersey Union Suits—Boys' Fine Jersey Union Suits, ecru; 25c garments. Reduced to.....19c Suit

Boys' Porosknit Underwear—Boys' fine Porosknit Underwear, shirts and drawers, white and

ecru; 25c value. Reduced to.....17c Each

Boys' Jersey Shirts—30 dozen Boys' Fine Jersey Shirts, short sleeves; 25c value. Reduced to.....17c Each

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Vests—Ladies' bleached ribbed Vests, regular and extra sizes; low neck, sleeveless, and wing sleeves; 10c value. Reduced to.....6 1/2c Each

Ladies' Ribbed Vests—Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, low neck, nicely trimmed; 12 1/2c value. Reduced to.....10c Each

Ladies' Pants—Ladies' Fine Jersey Pants, lace trimmed; regular and extra sizes 25c value. Reduced to.....15c Pair

Ladies' Union Suits—Ladies' fine Jersey Union Suits, low neck, lace trimmed and tight knee; regular and large sizes; 25c value. Reduced to.....19c a Suit

Ladies' Union Suits—Ladies' fine Jersey Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, trimmed with fine lace and silk tape; pants lace trimmed and tight knee; 50c value. Reduced to 25c

Children's Pants—Children's Jersey Pants, lace trimmed; 10c value. Reduced to.....6 1/2c

Children's Underwear—Children's fine Jersey Underwear; shirts low neck, pants lace trimmed; 12 1/2c value. Reduced to 9c, 3 for 25c

Children's and Misses' Underwear—Fine Jersey Summer Underwear; shirts low neck, short sleeves and no sleeves; lace trimmed and tight-knee pants, 19c value. Reduced to 10c Each

ON SALE BASEMENT

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ANNEX MAIN STORE MEN'S STORE ANNEX MAIN STORE



Come Here for Clothes Satisfaction

We offer great relief to the man who finds it difficult to obtain satisfactory clothes, clothes in which he has confidence, clothes that he feels are absolutely correct in fabric, cut and tailoring. We specialize in extra value suits that answer these requirements, at

\$10, \$13 and \$15

Sold elsewhere at \$13, \$15 and \$18

We are now showing the new overplaid in green and blues, also in light and dark gray. They come in regulars, stouts and longs.

Daylight Basement Special

MEN'S PANTS

In black chevils, blue serges, gray oxfords and fancy stripes, sizes 30 to 44 waist. \$2.00 values, at

\$1.39

Men's Underwear Special

After stock taking we find many broken lines and sizes of underwear in combed Egyptian balbriggan, either long or short sleeves.

Nainsook, athletic style and knee drawers, the famous Gotham make and Porosknit shirts and drawers. Worth 38c and 50c.

Marked 25c to Close

Daylight Basement

Boys' Clothing Dept

Daylight Basement

Boys' Norfolk Suits

Stitched belt and patch pocket. Pants are made peg top; they come in blue, brown and gray woolen mixtures. See Central street windows.

\$3.00 values,

\$1.98



NEW MINIMUM WAGE LAW

State of Arkansas the Only One to Put in Force Comprehensive Law of This Kind

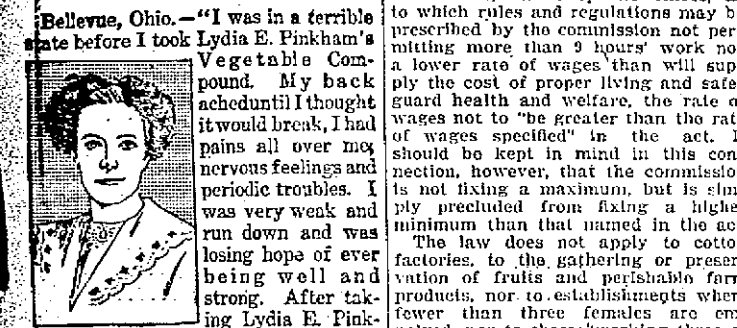
There is considerable interest locally in the minimum wage question and as several inquiries have been received at this office relative to the law put in force in Arkansas its provisions are here reviewed:

So far as appears at present the only new minimum-wage law enacted during the legislative sessions of 1915 is that of Arkansas. The legislature of Nebraska made an appropriation (\$500) for the expenses of the minimum-wage commission of that state, thus making it possible for the first time for any action to be taken under the act of 1913. In Massachusetts the minimum-wage commission is authorized to require employers to post in their establishments such information or matter as the commission may indicate.

The Arkansas statute is in immediate effect from the date of its passage, and applies to females working in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, or exchange.

LOSING HOPE WOMAN VERY ILL

Finally Restored To Health By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Bellevue, Ohio.—"I was in a terrible state before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My back ached until I thought it would break, I had pains all over my nervous feelings and periodic troubles. I was very weak and run down and was losing hope of ever being well and strong. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I improved rapidly and today am a well woman. I cannot tell you how happy I feel and I cannot say too much for your Compound. Would not be without it in the house if it cost three times the amount."—Mrs. CRAS, CHAPMAN, R. F. D. No. 7, Bellevue, Ohio.

Woman's Precious Gift.

The one which she should most zealously guard, is her health, but it is the one most often neglected, until some ailment peculiar to her sex has fastened itself upon her. When so affected such women may rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a remedy that has been wonderfully successful in restoring health to suffering women.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to any of the women whose testimonial letters we are constantly publishing. They will tell you their experience and give you confidence to try the medicine.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Electric Workers' union is scheduled to meet tonight in the union rooms in the Fiske building.

The near approach of Labor day focuses attention once more on the strength of the American labor movement.

The Silesia mills and G. C. Moore mills in North Chelmsford are very busy and night work is being done in some of the departments.

The Millmen's union will meet tonight in Carpenters' hall, Runnels building, to make final arrangements for the Labor day celebration.

In all the Labor day exercises the importance of the union label will be emphasized by the labor men of this city.

The shutting down of the Merrimack mills tomorrow until the day after Labor day is not the result of poor business, but is done to give the employees a needed vacation.

Messrs. Frank Minnerty, Frank Williams, John Joyce, John Baxter, Hugh Minnerty and other members of the Warren club took in the big parade in Boston yesterday.

Walter Dow, shipper at Allen & Sons box manufacturing plant, will be a contributor to the musical program at the ladies' day to be conducted by the Four of Clubs a week from Sunday.

Thomas Bodkins, a prominent South End member, states that everything is booming up in Nashua, N. H., where he is employed and that night work is the rule in nearly every factory.

Rumor has it that Boston union carpenters are perfecting plans for the erection of a headquarters building in the downtown section of the city. A fund of \$150,000 will be raised by subscription from the members of the local union, which is understood, will cover all expenses. A building completely modern in every respect is planned. It will be five stories high with offices and halls on the upper floors.

Carpenters' District Council

The Carpenters' district council held a largely attended and interesting meeting in the Runnels building last night, at which various matters of interest were discussed and acted upon.

Weavers' Union

The Weavers' union met last night in the union quarters in Middle street and transacted a large amount of routine business. Two new members were admitted and final arrangements were made for the Labor day parade.

Boot & Shoe Workers' Union

An open meeting for boot and shoe workers concluded last night in the Runnels building under the auspices of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union. Practically every shoe concern in the city and six new members were admitted into the organization. Several applications for membership were received as a result of the session and these will be acted upon at the next regular meeting. Following the business session remarks were made by Organizer Daniel E. Whelan, who presided at the meeting, President Frank Warnock of the Trades & Labor council and others.

Painters' Union

An interesting meeting of Painters' union, local 32, was held last night in Carpenters' hall, Runnels building, with President George E. Fife in the chair. President Frank Warnock of the Trades & Labor council gave an instructive address on organization after which a list of routine business was transacted. It was voted unanimously to parade on Labor day and further arrangements for the day were completed. A communication was received from the Permanent Firemen's club and the request was complied with by the members.

Machinists' Open Meeting

Cotton Spinners' hall in Middle street was taxed to capacity last night when an open meeting for machinists of the city, conducted under the auspices of the Trades & Labor council, was held. P. J. Conlon, vice president of the International Machinists' organization and President Frank Warnock were the speakers. The meeting which was held for organizing purposes was productive of results. Twenty-five new members were added to the organization. They will be initiated at a special meeting to be held tonight in Trades & Labor hall.

ALL GOODS BOUGHT AT THIS SALE STORED FREE UNTIL WANTED

FOLDING CARD TABLES

Regular value \$2.50. Our regular price \$1.98. August Sale Price **\$1.29**

J. L. CHALIFOUX CO.

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ESTABLISHED 1875

NATIONAL SPRINGS

Guaranteed National Springs, all sizes. Regular value \$4.00. Our regular price \$3.00. August Sale Price **\$2.25**

AUGUST FURNITURE SALE

Closes next Tuesday night. During this sale we have done an enormous business. There is yet time for those who have not taken advantage of the present low prices. Many bargains still remain on our selling floor. Now is the time to anticipate your furniture requirements for months to come. Now is the time to buy.

TAKE ELEVATOR TO FOURTH FLOOR

BABY CARRIAGES	PARLOR TABLES	AUTOMATIC RECLINING CHAIRS	DRESSERS
Mostly all are in natural color; a few browns and grays in lot. Quoted below is a list of unusually low prices. Regular value \$12. August Sale Price \$8.49 Regular value \$14.75. August Sale Price \$10.95 Regular value \$17.75. August Sale Price \$14.50 Regular value \$20. August Sale Price \$16.50 Regular value \$22. August Sale Price \$17.95 Regular value \$24.50. August Sale Price \$19.50 Regular value \$26.50. August Sale Price \$21.00 Every carriage equipped with windshield.	Round Oak and Mahogany Finish Parlor Tables. Regular \$7.00 value. Our regular price \$5.25. August Sale Price \$4.45 Fancy Top Oak and Mahogany Finish Parlor Tables. Regular value \$7.50. Our regular price \$5.75. August Sale Price \$4.95	The Easiest Working Reclining Chairs on the Market. Regular value \$19. Our regular price \$16.50. August Sale Price \$13.50 Regular value \$20. Our regular price \$17.50. August Sale Price \$14.00 Regular value \$22.50. Our regular price \$19.50. August Sale Price \$16.50 Regular value \$24. Our regular price \$20.00. August Sale Price \$17.50 Regular value \$25. Our regular price \$21.50. August Sale Price \$18.50 Regular value \$30. Our regular price \$26.00. August Sale Price \$21.50	Fumed Oak Dressers. Regular value \$14. Our regular price \$11.50. August Sale Price \$8.75 Fumed Oak Dressers. Regular value \$18. Our regular price \$15.50. August Sale Price \$11.75 Solid Oak Dressers, 24x30, bevel plate mirror. Regular value \$19. Our regular price \$16.50. August Sale Price \$11.75 Quartered Oak Dressers with extra large bevel plate mirror. Regular value \$17.50. Our regular price \$14.00. August Sale Price \$10.95
MATTRESSES	JARDINIERES	PIAZZA ROCKERS	HALL MIRRORS
All Cotton Mattresses, two piece, to fit 3 ft. 6 in. and 4 ft. 6 in. beds only. Regular value \$7.50. Our regular price \$5.95. August Sale Price \$4.95	9 inch Hammered Brass Jardiniere. Regular \$1.25 value. August Sale Price 79c	Piazza Rockers in green finish, rattan seat, slat back, large arms. \$1.98 value. August Sale Price \$1.29	Oak Hall Mirrors, beveled mirror 10x30 inches, five pegs. Regular value \$5.00. Our regular price \$3.50. August Sale Price \$2.79

QUOTED ABOVE ARE ONLY A FEW OF THE MANY VALUES WE ARE OFFERING

Special Bargains Offered in Our Drapery Dept. for Friday and Saturday

After stock taking we find we have a lot of curtains with only 2 to 4 pairs which we cannot duplicate and have made the great reductions quoted below in order to close them out.

SCRIM CURTAINS —2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 values. Friday and Saturday 98c	SCRIM CURTAINS with and without Dutch piece, 2, 3, 5 and 6 pair lots. \$1.75 to \$1.98 values. Friday and Saturday \$1.25	SCRIM CURTAINS —Regular 98c values. 2 to 4 pair lots. Friday and Saturday for 59c	NOTINGHAM CURTAINS —2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 values. Friday and Saturday \$1.25
NOTINGHAM CURTAINS —2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Friday and Saturday 98c	NOVELTY CURTAINS AND IRISH POINT —2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.00 values. Friday and Saturday \$2.98	IRISH POINT CURTAINS —2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$4.50 to \$5.00 values. Friday and Saturday \$3.98	MADRAS CURTAINS —2 to 4 pair lots. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Friday and Saturday \$1.00

IMPORTANT

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

At last we are able to buy in sufficient quantities to eliminate the middle man, saving you that profit. Starting Monday of next week, we will sell (all the time) any 10c article, any 25c article, any 50c article, any 75c article, any 1.00 article, any 1.25 article, any 1.50 article, any 2.00 article, any 2.50 article, any 3.00 article, any 3.50 article, any 4.00 article, any 4.50 article, any 5.00 article, any 5.50 article, any 6.00 article, any 6.50 article, any 7.00 article, any 7.50 article, any 8.00 article, any 8.50 article, any 9.00 article, any 9.50 article, any 10.00 article, any 10.50 article, any 11.00 article, any 11.50 article, any 12.00 article, any 12.50 article, any 13.00 article, any 13.50 article, any 14.00 article, any 14.50 article, any 15.00 article, any 15.50 article, any 16.00 article, any 16.50 article, any 17.00 article, any 17.50 article, any 18.00 article, any 18.50 article, any 19.00 article, any 19.50 article, any 20.00 article, any 20.50 article, any 21.00 article, any 21.50 article, any 22.00 article, any 22.50 article, any 23.00 article, any 23.50 article, 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IS HELD WITHOUT BAIL

MORRISON PEASELEE, ACCUSED OF KILLING HIS FATHER AT HENNAKER

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 27.—Morrison Peaselee, alleged to have confessed that he killed his father, Howard W. Peaselee, at Hennaker, on May 22, 1914, was today held without bail for the October grand jury by Judge A. Chester Clark in the Concord municipal court.

The confession which Morrison Peaselee is said to have made to a detective in Portland, Me., on Aug. 19, was made public for the first time. In it Peaselee is made to say that he shot his father with Howard Peaselee's own shot gun as the latter was sitting in his shop.

THE HAITIEN SITUATION

EVERY INDICATION THAT FINANCIAL PROTECTORATE CONVENTION WOULD BE RATIFIED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—State department officials announced today that there was every indication that the financial protectorate convention with Haiti would be ratified by the Haitian congress within a few days. The statement was made upon advice received from American Charge d'Affaires Davis at Port au Prince.

SCARCITY OF SILVER COIN

Travelers Leaving France Will Be Compelled to Exchange Coins for Paper Money

PARIS, Aug. 27, 11 a. m.—Every traveler leaving France hereafter will be required to declare the amount of funds in coin in his possession. If more than 50 francs (\$10) he will be compelled to exchange the excess for paper money, under a decree issued today by Finance Minister Ribot.

This action resulted from an investigation of the scarcity of silver coins, particularly in the frontier regions where it was ascertained that coins in circulation were being collected for export. Even coppers and nickels were sought and exchanged.

FRIEND BROTHERS OUTING

Drivers and bakers employed at the Friend Bros. bakery held an enjoyable outing at the Uneda camp on the Concord river yesterday afternoon. On the arrival of the party at the camp an excellent dinner prepared by Caterer Harvey was served after which an informal musical program was carried out. A list of sports was run off in the pine grove in the rear of the camp. Anthony Dickson was in general charge of the arrangements of the outing, and all cooperated in making the half holiday a pleasant one.

FRENCH AERIAL RAIDS

PLANT WHERE GERMANS MANUFACTURE GASES ATTACKED—RAILROAD STATION SHELLED

PARIS, Aug. 27, 2.30 p. m.—French aviators continue their activities against certain positions in possession of the Germans in the eastern portions of the French line, according to announcement made today by the French war office. German aviators also are taking offensive measures in this territory.

A French aviator last night bombarded at Dornach a plant where the Germans manufactured asphyxiating gases and this morning a French squadron of airplanes bombarded the railroad station at Muelheim, in the Grand Duchy of Baden.

"All the French flyers returned unharméd."

FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS

EIGHT MISSIONARIES OF AMERICAN BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SAIL

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Eight missionaries of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions sailed today on the Greek steamship Themistoclea for Athens. Rev. and Mrs. Leroy F. Ostrander are on their way to Samokov, Bulgaria. Mr. Ostrander is the president of the College Theological Institute of Bulgaria, an American board school. Mr. and Mrs. J. Riggs Brewster are to be located for the present at Saloniki, Greece. Dr. and Mrs. Mark Hopkins Ward, who go as missionaries of the Broadway Tabernacle, are designated to Almaty, Turkey, but since the Turkish government now refuses to admit foreigners to the interior of the country they are proceeding to Cairo, Egypt, where they will study Turkish language. Miss Mary L. Matthews, after a furlough here, is returning to her post as principal of the girls' school at Monastir. Miss Edith Douglas is going back to Samokov, Bulgaria, to resume her work in the mission girls' school. Secretary Barton states that the missionaries of the American board in all departments are proceeding with perfect safety for Americans and every assurance that this will continue, no matter what attitude Bulgaria and Greece may assume with reference to the war.

WEEK OF WAR PRACTICE

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL MEN IN CAMP AT PLATTSBURG READY FOR "HOSTILITIES"

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 27.—A week of war practice upon which the regiment of business and professional men at the camp of instruction embarked today constitutes a part of an elaborate theoretical war with a European power. According to the plan this power recalled its ambassador on Aug. 16 and the United States government ordered the concentration of the greater part of the regular army and one brigade of the New York militia at Albany. Troops of other coast states were ordered to the defense of harbor forts, while border states were directed to assemble their troops along the frontier to be reinforced by detachments of regular cavalry and field artillery and by the militia of central states.

War was theoretically declared by the European power yesterday and the commander of the first brigade at Plattsburg received information that the Red army of invasion had crossed the Canadian border, seized the railroad junction at Rouses Point, N. Y., and had taken Malone, N. Y. The commander of the blue army of defense of which the business men's regiment is a part, decided to advance against the enemy at Rouses Point before he could be reinforced from Malone.

Between 5500 and 6000 men will figure in the maneuvers.

EXPERT TELEGRAPHERS COMPETE

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Aug. 27.—Expert telegraphers from all parts of the United States were ready to compete in the championship tournament under the auspices of the Panama-Pacific exposition today.

Among the contestants are D. J. Edington, holder of the Carnegie diamond medal; C. V. and Herman Barfield; T. S. Brickhouse and John Hillard, all of San Francisco and G. W. Smith of Philadelphia.

The tournament includes nine events open to the telegraphers of the world and railroad, commercial, press and brokers' operators among the competitors. The championship prize carries with it the Carnegie diamond medal and a cash prize of \$200. Other events carry cash prizes.

The contests scheduled for today were the railroad men's contest, wireless, press and commercial.

CITY HALL NEWS

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however, has yet to be reckoned with but it has been stated that the heating and plumbing ought not to cost more than \$20,000, at the very outside, and in that event the city would have about \$10,000 of the insurance money to the good. Bids opened today were as follows: Electrical work—Quinn Brothers, \$3300; Tucke & Parker, \$2250; L. A. Derby & Co., \$2570.50; George A. Hill, \$1040; Conant & May, \$3390.18 and W. C. Hineckley, \$3145. The Derby company is the lowest bidder.

Bids on Plastering

Only three bids on plastering were received and the Lowell Plastering Co. was the lowest bidder. The bids were as follows: Austin Callery, \$7253; Matthias F. Connor, \$8212; and Daniel H. Walker \$5400.

Bids on Plumbing

Of the fourteen bidders on the plumbing contract Patrick P. Welch was the lowest. The bids: Joseph P. McMahon & Co., \$1012; John A. Corter \$1028; Chisholm & Co., \$1018; J. D. Spillane & Co., \$1030; Farrell & Conant, \$990; P. P. Welch, \$953; Gorham Plumbing Co., \$1010; Carroll Brothers, \$997; T. Co., \$1040; John J. Mullane, \$1013; Welch Brothers, \$1004; H. H. Wilder & Co., \$1015; Scott & O'Day, \$1045; Harry S. Drury, \$1010.

On Marble Tablets

There were five bids on marble tablets and the Lowell Monument Co. was the lowest bidder. The bids were as follows: Williams & Davidson, \$1200; John P. Mehan Co., \$1122; Frank M. Hadley, \$1500; Lowell Monument Co., \$853; Gumb Brothers, \$990.

Mason and Brick Work

Matthias F. Connor was the lowest of the three bidders on the mason and brick work, as follows: Matthias F. Connor, \$2350; Daniel H. Walker, \$1450; Patrick O'Hearn, \$930.

For Structural Steel

There were two bids for the structural steel work and A. P. Knapp was the lowest bidder, his bid being over \$100 less than that of the second bidder, Frank Donnelly. The bids were: Knapp, \$5715; Donnelly, \$5812.

The Carpenter Work

The bids on the carpenter work were as follows: John J. O'Connor, \$19,730; Thomas W. Johnson, \$19,119; Alway & Meley, \$18,500; William Drapau, \$19,167. In all cases the commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Special Meeting Necessary

The municipal council will have to hold a special meeting to draw jurors. The council did not intend to meet again until Tuesday, Sept. 7, but a request was made for the clerk of court today calling for four jurors to serve in this city and to report at 9.30 o'clock on Monday morning, Sept. 13.

For Chauffeurs' Licenses

Twenty applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the regular weekly examination at city hall this forenoon. These examinations are conducted by the Massachusetts highway commission and the examiners today were Messrs. Rowman and Hubbard.

Attic School Room

Relative to the discontinuance of the school room in the attic of the Edison school, Supt. Molloy stated today that the room has not been occupied for more than a year. It was stated that the room had been vacated recently, but Mr. Molloy says the furniture was taken from the room about a year ago, and it is understood, too, that the room was abandoned as a school room at the initiative of the superintendent, who also recommended the discontinuance of the room on the third floor of the high school.

Opening of Schools

The public schools will open on Sept. 13, and the session will continue until Christmas with no other break except that of Thanksgiving day. Christmas falls on Saturday this year and the schools will close on the Friday before Christmas. One of the reasons for the rule calling for the closing of the schools the week before Christmas is to give the pupils an opportunity to work in the stores during Christmas week, an opportunity that a great many of them take advantage of.

SIR WM. VAN HORNE IMPROVING

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—The condition of Sir William Van Horne, former

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chairman of the board of directors of the Canadian Pacific railroad, was today reported by his physicians to be "steadily improving." His recovery is now looked for. The last bulletin issued today said his condition is "very satisfactory."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

With "Within the Law" as the attraction, the Opera House will be packed Labor day afternoon and night and all throughout that week as the demand for seats for the Emerson players is already exceptional and since the announcement of the opening of this popular playhouse under the management of the Sites-Emerson company orders for reservations for the opening week and also for the entire season have been pouring in which gives every indication that this season at the Lowell Opera House will be the best that the city has ever known and will provide more enjoyable entertainment than the theatrical records of the city have ever shown.

"Within the Law" is a great show. It is an exceptional play, one with a punch and a situation that thrill and grip an audience. The remarkable success of this play in New York, Chicago and Boston and in all the big cities has been wonderful and everywhere throughout the country, theatergoers are requesting the managers to secure the play as an attraction.

It is the highest royalty play that Lowell has ever had. The Sites-Emerson company has secured the play coupled with the excellent cast of artists who will appear in the play and also the superb scenic and electrical production that is to be offered, will provide Lowell theatergoers just what they have been waiting for for many years.

"Within the Law" will make good in Lowell as it has in every city it has played. It is a big, heart interesting play for men, women and children. It tells a story that is gripping. It furnishes situations which are true to life. It shows the inner workings of the law and how one can easily work within its confines. It is a story that everyone appreciates.

Miss Ann O'Day, the leading lady of the Emerson players, as Mary Turner, will be as her best as Miss O'Day has played the character before with wonderful success. Homer Barton, Doris Booth, Carson Davenport, Clara Sidney, Dore Goodwin, Joseph Crehan, Walter Von Boeckman and other members of the Emerson players will be seen in the production.

Seats will be on sale next Wednesday morning at 9.30 o'clock and to avoid disappointment, seats should be secured early. All Lowell loves a good drama and all Lowell is going to see "Within the Law." The production will be the talk for miles around.

J. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The last feature picture of the supplementary season at the J. F. Keith theatre, will be shown the final times today and tomorrow. It is none other than that excellent Metro presentation of Charles T. Horan's photoplay, "When a Woman Loves." Emmy Wehlen, a Viennese actress of much sound ability, appeared yesterday for the first time locally in this wonderfully attractive piece. She is supported by a thoroughly competent company. The story which Mr. Horan has framed and which Miss Wehlen and her supporting company offer concern the adventures of a young woman who decides to elope with a millionaire. Owing to a misunderstanding she fails to meet the young man, and he promptly calls the engagement off. However, the young woman, thrilled with the desire to go to New York, goes on her way, and once landed in the metropolis, she comes into many snags. Finally she is greatly reduced, and is forced to wear boy's clothing. She scrapes together some money and plays on the running horses, but is arrested in a raid on the pool room. Through the kindness of a judge she is released, and later goes to a summer hotel where she is used as a decoy. There are many real adventures thereafter, but the girl emerges from them unharmed. The picture is in five parts, and over 200 separate scenes are presented. Five other good pictures are also shown. Beginning Monday vaudeville will come into its own again at the theatre. Seven good acts, headed by Wyatt's Ladies and Lassies, will be featured. Seats may now be engaged.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Many a hearty laugh rang through the Merrimack square theatre as all the performances yesterday when those present saw Sam Bernard in his screen debut, "Poor Schmaltz." The plot of this play centers itself around a wig maker who finding business dull plans a quicker way of making money. He chances upon a photograph of a nobleman who possesses socialistic tendencies and makes up to look like the titled gentleman. He then poses as the count and declares himself a suitor for an American heiress. The wealthy young lady induces the cook to pose as the heiress. The cop who loves the cook finds out what is happening and so does Schmaltz's old sweetheart. "The Witness" is another interesting play which will also be seen on the remaining days of this week. The rest of the program consists of a funny Chaplin comedy, a

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KIDNEY BEANS	10c	THICK RIB, lb.	12c
SPANISH ONIONS, 3 lbs.	14c	FANCY BRISKET, lb.	14c
KARO, can	8c	FLANK ROLL, lb.	8c
NEW PEAS, can.	7c	THIN RIB, lb.	10c
JELLY, 5 lbs to a pail.	20c	ALL LEAN, NO BONE, lb.	12c
PASTRY FLOUR, 5 lb. bag.	20c	ROAST PORK, lb.	14c
BREAD FLOUR, 7 lb. bag.	32c	PORK CHOPS, lb.	16c
BREAD FLOUR, 12 lb. bag.	54c	RUMP BUTTS, lb.	13c
SUGAR, lb.	5 1/2c		

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western drama entitled, "Brocho Billy" and the Paramount travel pictures.

LAKEVIEW PARK

The Sixth Regiment band, Z. I. Blaissonette, chief musician, will give two concerts at Lakeview park Sunday.

FIRST PART

March, Staunch and True.....Telle Overture, Czar and Zimotman
Popular medley, Sterns All Star
Feist
Grand selection from Faust.....Gounod
Chilean Dance, Mariana.....Missaud
Descriptive, Cavalry Charge.....Luders
Popular numbers:
(a) My Tom Tom Man
(b) Night Time in Mayo
Songs of the Nation.....Benadict
Concert Waltz.....Walden
March, Sixth Regiment.....Deignan

SECOND PART

March, The Denver Times.....Chambers
Overture, Dedication of the Temple
Kalia-Bela
Popular numbers:
(a) Listen to That Dixie Band
(b) Knockout Drops
Selection from the comic opera Sari

Medley of the Old Folks' Songs
Porpoise, On the Shores of the St.
Lawrence.....Laurendeau
The Blue and the Grey.....Dalby
Popular Medley, On the Rialto, Feist
Descriptive, A Hunt in the Black
Bucalossi

(By request)
March, Minstrel Days.....Jewell

WILLOW DALE

A skating race, opened to all amateurs in Lowell will be staged at the Willow Dale rink tonight and indicated point to a record crowd. An added incentive for the winner is a chance to meet Nees and Conlon, reputed to be the best bets in the city. In a match race. The victor of tonight's event will be hailed as a competent challenger of the title and hence great rivalry exists over the outcome of the contest. Any one who believes he has a chance is invited to compete. Jitneys will convey.

CANOBIE LAKE PARK

When, years ago, the first protean act was offered in vaudeville, it was the signal for a storm of favorable comment on all sides. Yet at that time but two characters were portrayed by the same artist. This week such an act is offered by Mark Lindor and company and almost the same amount of comment is being caused, for not two but six separate and distinct characters are portrayed by the versatile Mark Lindor in his protean dramatic sketch, "The Wager."

The LeGrange-Gordon Four in their big musical act offer some of the most brilliant selections up on the xylophone.

Miss Anna Leary, the Lowell girl, in songs and dances, and Jose, a singing and talking comedian, who has his audience with him every minute complete the vaudeville.

MUNICIPAL BAND CONCERT

Municipal band concert at Park Garden, Belvidere, Sunday, Aug. 29, at 2.30 p. m. by the National band, E. A. Griffiths, conductor. The program:

March, Minstrel Days.....Jewell
Overture, Nabuccodonosor.....Verdi
Selection, Woodland.....Luders
Waltz, Our Wedding Day.....Tobal
Selection, Marlboro.....Wallace
Irish Medley, Sons of Erin.....Rever
Caprice, Geraldine.....Hall
Popular songs:
(a) "I Want to Linger"
(b) "Moonlight in Mayo"
(c) "My Chumtown"
Scotch airs, Land of the Heather
Finals, Songs of the Nation.....Hosmer
"The Star Spangled Banner"

BILLERICA

Work on the erection of the new high school in Billerica has been started by B. W. Kearney, who had a gang of men doing excavation work. The job will be rushed along and it is probable the exterior of the building will be completed before the snow flies.

A hearing relative to the extensions of water mains was held in the town hall by the water commissioners last night. The first extension to be put in is the one on Billerica avenue to the town farm. Other extensions include those on Webb Brook road, Richardson street and Riverdale.



DOROTHY DONNELLY IN "THE THIEF" AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC

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SULLIVAN IGNORES TOTTH

60. BOSTON MAN HAS NO GROUND ON WHICH TO DISPUTE THE VICTORY OF SULLIVAN

The members of the C. Y. M. L. are preparing to welcome home their brother member, Henry P. Sullivan, amateur champion long distance swimmer of America, who swam under the society colors in the great match race against Sam Richards last Saturday, and the welcome promises to be conducted on an elaborate plan. Sullivan will probably decide to return to his home in Centerville next Monday. He is now staying at the home of his pilot, Capt. N. L. Smith in Winthrop, resting up after his great fight against the former champion.

Plans are also under way at the C. Y. M. L. for a banquet to be tendered in his honor at which there will be the largest array of prominent speakers and athletes that ever met at the festive board in this city. Sam Richards, the former champion and officials of the race will also be invited to attend. It is said. Final arrangements for this event will be made at the regular meeting of the society to be held next week.

The local boy has decided to ignore the challenge of Charles Totth, of the L. Street club, and yesterday he gave out the following statement which decisively shows what he thinks of the challenge: "I intend to treat the challenge of Totth, issued through the officers of the L. Street club with silence. Any man, or group of men, who aspire to be classed as sportsmen and who with cold deliberation assail the integrity of myself and my friends do not warrant serious consideration. Whenever Totth completes some swim worthy of notice, and the public demands to see him, I will consider a match race with him. I do not hold Totth responsible for the deliberate, mean, and un-sportsmanlike inferences that have emanated from his camp."

Sullivan, when he issued the statement was commenting upon the statement issued by President Gus Wise, in behalf of the L. Street Swimming club.

BIG GOLF TOURNAMENT

142 CONTESTANTS IN DETROIT FOR 21ST NATIONAL AMATEUR TOURNAMENT

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 27.—One hundred and forty-two contestants representing clubs which are scattered from the Atlantic to the Pacific oceans and from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico, have officially ready to compete in the 21st national amateur golf tournament which will begin here tomorrow afternoon.

Most of the better known stars, including Evans, Outmet and Travers, have been in Detroit several days and have played one or more matches on the country club course at Green Point where the championship is to be decided. Fair, though cool weather has kept the battle ground in fine shape. The low scores turned in yesterday during the practice contests not only showed the tournament favorably to be playing at championship speed but indicated the possibility of some more moderately known entrants gaining national recognition. Par for the course is 73 and several contestants whose ability has not been loudly acclaimed have already made the round in 75.

About 25 club pairs were to take part in the special competition today for the American golf silver trophy. The event was a four-ball, the best ball match for club pairs.

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WILL NOT JOIN FEDS

MARQUARD REFUSES TO REPORT TO TORONTO AND WANTS HIS UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—It was stated today that Ruben Marquard, the famous pitcher of the New York National league club, will not report to the Toronto International league club to which he has been released. It was also said that Marquard has no intention of joining the Federal league but believes that if he could obtain an unconditional release from the Giants he could sign with the Boston or Philadelphia clubs of the National league. Neither of these clubs, however, look advantage of the opportunity to pay the price of his waiver.

Manager McGraw was quoted as saying that he would not give Marquard an unconditional release and that if he wants to continue to draw his \$3000 salary he must report to Toronto. The situation affecting Marquard seems to be deadlocked.

GAMES TOMORROW

N. E. League
Manchester at Lowell (2 games.)
Lawrence at Lynn
Worcester at Portland (2 games.)
Lowell at Fitchburg.

American
Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Washington at St. Louis.

National
Cincinnati at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.

League Standings

National	Won	Lost	P.C.	P.C.
Philadelphia	43	50	.558	.442
Boston	38	55	.534	.466
Chicago	34	59	.522	.478
Pittsburgh	37	57	.500	.500
St. Louis	37	61	.483	.517
New York	32	69	.444	.556
Cincinnati	34	63	.462	.538
American	1915	1914		
Boston	40	38	.567	.433
Detroit	33	42	.511	.489
Chicago	31	46	.500	.500
Washington	33	55	.518	.482
New York	34	56	.491	.509
St. Louis	45	72	.385	.615
Cleveland	41	71	.365	.635
Philadelphia	35	79	.307	.693
Federal	1915	1914		
Pittsburgh	45	61	.560	.440
Newark	41	51	.571	.429
Kansas City	45	51	.540	.460
Chicago	40	55	.542	.458
St. Louis	42	56	.522	.478
Buffalo	48	66	.466	.534
Brooklyn	47	55	.466	.534
Baltimore	40	78	.339	.661
New England	1915	1914		
Portland	58	49	.583	.417
Lawrence	40	65	.571	.429
Worcester	49	59	.531	.469
Lynn	55	52	.514	.486
Lowell	48	52	.464	.536
Fitchburg	45	58	.437	.563
Pittsburg	41	64	.390	.610

Yesterday's Results

National
Boston 4, Chicago 4 (9 innings, called darkness.)
Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 1.
Pittsburgh 3, New York 1.
Brooklyn 3, St. Louis 1.

American
Detroit 7, Boston 5 (12 innings.)
Washington 2, Chicago 1 (13 innings.)
New York 6, Cleveland 5.
St. Louis 10, Philadelphia 1.

Federal
Newark 4, Buffalo 1.
Kansas City 5, Pittsburgh 5.
Brooklyn 6, Baltimore 6.
Chicago 5, Cleveland 2.
Indianapolis last year.

New England
Lowell 5, Lynn 1.
Lawrence 7, Worcester 1.
Portland 5, Lowell 0.
Fitchburg 5, Manchester 1.
Haverhill last year.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Sharps Athletics won their twenty-first straight victory last Saturday by defeating the O. M. L. Cadets by the score of 25 to 7. They are now claiming the 15 and 16 year old championship of the city. They have played most every team in the city. If there are any exceptions please notify Sharps' manager through this paper and arrange a game on some Saturday. These who feature last Saturday were: Dick Foley whose wonderful pitching allowed the O. M. L. to win two hits. He also hit the ball hard.

"Pop" McCarthy also featured with his homer with three on base. Cope and Rogers also played fine ball.

The Woodhines and South Ends will meet Saturday afternoon on the South common in what is expected to be a fast game, the last meeting of these teams resulted in a South End victory. This the Woodhines are anxious to wipe out and as they have been traveling at a fast clip with their winning record, they are anxious to win. All Woodhines players are requested to attend the meeting at the club rooms at the corner of John and Lee streets. Friday evening to make final arrangements for the Kimball System game which will be played Saturday, Sept. 4th on the South common.

The following players are asked to report Saturday at the South common at 2:15 o'clock: Murphy, Allen, Ryan, J. Manning, Hennessey, Booth, Gray, Mills, Mcweeney, Switzer and Freeman. The Lawrence Mfg. Co. is now asked to state their return date with the Woodhines.

The Maples will play the Parkviews for the 15-16 year old championship of city on Saturday, Aug. 28, on Cannery's field.

Each team has won most of its games and a great game is expected. With Horrofall back on first, and Murphy on the mound, and Green behind the bat, the Maples will be greatly strengthened.

The O. M. L. Cadets will play McDermott's Pets at School park. Players report tonight at 7:30 at the school park.

AMATEUR GAMES TOMORROW
Kimball System vs. Oakleaves of Lawrence at Textile campus at 4 o'clock.
Woodhines vs. P. & Q. South Ends at South common.
O. M. L. Cadets vs. McDermott's Pets.
The Lowell Hammer beach team defeated the regular Hammen beach team by a score of 10 to 7. The Lowell line up was as follows: Clark, C. Cawley

LOU. BRESSLER, ATHLETICS' YOUNG PITCHER DELIVERING THE GOODS

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—Probably no man in the big leagues has received such a panning by the baseball critics and public as Connie Mack, the manager of the Athletics, this season. This is all due to the fact that Mack broke up his wonderful baseball machine by releasing Bender, Plank and Coombs. Selling Eddie Collins and Eddie Murphy to the Chicago White Sox and Jack Barry to the Boston Red Sox. And in addition to this he failed to meet the terms wanted by Home Run Baker, which has kept the latter out of the game for the season. Mack says he will fool them all in a season or two and have an aggregation that will equal or eclipse his great team of former years. Since the season opened Mack has been experimenting with some youngsters and has discovered several among them young Malone, who has been holding down second base. Mack says this youngster will develop into a marvel. He also has a number of pitchers who look very good to him. Lou Bressler, who was with the team, has shown great form of late, and the leader of the Athletics declares he will develop into one of the leading pitchers in the American league in another season. Watch him, says the lanky

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leader of the Athletics.

P. C. Donohue 1b, E. Donohue 2b, Wiley 3b, Calahan ss, J. Donohue lf, Brennan cf, Canney rf. The features of the game were the pitching and hitting of Cawley and the hitting of Brennan and Clark.

BRITTON AND KID LEWIS

Clever Boxers to Appear in Boston Next Week—First Exhibition Expected

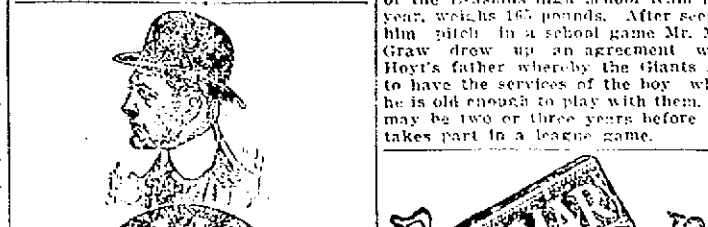
From a scientific standpoint the match between Jack Britton of New York and Kid Lewis of England should come close to being the best event of the kind offered at the Atlas A. A. of Boston this season. Many good contests have been pulled off there but this is easily the cleverest team that has been paired for a battle.

Each exhibited against Mike Glover. Against Britton, the South Boston boy made an excellent showing, but with Lewis he failed to uncover the same grand of goods that he displayed with Glover. Some say this was because Lewis is so much faster than Britton. Truly he is a marvel. He has everything as Jim Corbett used to say when he saw a fast young boxer.

His practice against Glover, White and other boxers served to bewilder them and clever as they were, they had no idea from what angle he intended to deliver his blows.

Both in attack and defense Lewis is a past master. He is hit but little, for his style is such that it is almost impossible for an opponent to counter when he leads. As a careful boxer he hasn't an equal. Many who saw him in the ring with Glover were of the opinion he acted a trifle too careful, and he would have done a great deal better had he mixed it with the South Boston boy. His record of victories speaks for itself.

Lewis and Britton are not strangers



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LOWELL WHITEWASHED

MARTIN, PORTLAND'S SO. ATLANTIC TWIFLER, HAD THE GOODS—SCORE, 5-0

(Special to The Sun)

PORTLAND, Aug. 27.—Hugh Duffy sent George Martin at bat yesterday's game with Kelchner's Lowell club at Bay Side park and he annexed his seventh straight victory and kept clean the slate which hasn't even been threatened with the bluish of defeat since he joined the Duffy after the finish of the South Atlantic league season. This game, like most of the victories Martin wins, was won on a shutout, 5 to 0.

Five hits the strengthened visitors negotiated off Martin's delivery over the nine inning route and a strong wind which carried a fly away spoke for one of the quietest. Portland found Joe Houser when it was necessary and rattled him off his southpaw service. One of these, twisted by the wind, went for a two sacker for Jack Dowell. In the sixth and the sixth innings, Kelchner's hands threatened and in the sixth none were out with two on but Mr. Martin denied a tally.

With the exception of a muff of a foul fly off first base by Parker, Portland played a perfect game in the field. Six bases, continued the sacrifice hits when such were timely and offered a sweet game all around, all things considered.

After Lowell had been retired in order in the first, Clemens was safe on first when Dee let the ball go between his legs. Burns walked, Clemens taking second. Dowell sacrificed but was safe at first on White's poor throw. Farrell was out on a sacrifice fly to Stimson in right, and Clemens scored and Burns went to third on the throw. Herndon struck out, Dowell and Burns attempted a double steal, and although Dowell was safe at first, when Moulton dropped Ahearn's throw, Burns stole home. Dowell stole second. Sweat went out at first, White to Munn.

Lowell failed to see first base in the second. For Portland, Longman singled to short left. Herndon singled to right. Longman evidently thought it was a fly ball that had been caught for he started back to first and was out as he was forced at second when the ball was thrown in. Hayden stole second. Martin struck out. Clemens fled out to Parker in left field.

Lowell went down in order again in the third. With three on for Portland, Longman closed with a fly to Parker. Though Barrows singled by third, in the fourth his teammates left him stranded. Hayden singled. Hayden was forced at second. Houser to Dee. Herndon was safe at first on the second, and Martin ran around to third when the ball rolled into the field. Burns fled out to Parker in short left. Martin was caught between third and home.

Lowell got three on in the fifth, but in the sixth scoring. For Portland, Dowell doubled to left and went to third on a passed ball. Farrell was thrown out at first by White. Herndon singled and Dowell scored. Herndon stole second and continued to third when Moulton failed to get Ahearn's throw. Sweat struck out. Longman fled out to Stimson.

In Lowell's half of the sixth Barrows singled but Dee was out on a foul fly to Dowell. Stimson was thrown out at first by Martin and White fled out to Longman. Portland was relieved in order in the last of the sixth.

Three up and three down for Lowell in the seventh. For Portland, Burns walked and stole. Dowell sacrificed and was thrown out at first. Burns going to third. Farrell singled and Burns scored. Herndon fled out to Stimson. Farrell stole second. Sweat struck out to right, and Farrell scored from second. Sweat went down to second on the throw. Longman was out on a foul fly to Munn.

There was no more scoring.

THE SCORE:

PORTLAND	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Clemens, rf	5	1	1	4	0	0
Burns, lf	2	2	0	2	0	1
Dowell, 1b	1	1	1	1	0	1
Farrell, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Herndon, 2b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Stimson, cf	4	0	1	2	3	0
Longman, ss	1	0	1	2	3	0

By MAJORS

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Walter Hoyt, a 15-year-old high school boy of Brooklyn, who has just been signed by John J. McGraw, manager of the New York National league club, is said to be the youngest ball player ever placed under any form of contract by a big league club.

Hoyt, who was a pitcher of the Erasmus high school team last year, weighs 165 pounds. After seeing him pitch in a school game Mr. McGraw drew up an agreement with Hoyt's father whereby the Giants are to have the services of the boy when he is old enough to play with them. It may be two or three years before he takes part in a league game.

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but local capital may save the Manchester franchise. Haverhill is likely to be back in the league.

Owner Joseph P. Sullivan of the Lowell club is not sure of the future. There is no doubt but that he will remain in control but whether the games will be played at Riverside park or Glen Forest and other details have not been decided. The story concerning the Lowell club is that Andy Rouch may retire, but those familiar with conditions be-

DIAMOND DAZZLES

Double-header tomorrow with Manchester.

That was tough luck, losing to Portland yesterday, but as Lewiston trimmed Lynn it was not so terribly bad.

Down in Lawrence they are not sad over the loss of the pennant because they topped Lynn in the race, and that's sufficient consolation.

Shorty Dee has certainly improved under Kelchner's management and Charlie is now looking for a berth for Shorty higher up.

Manager Kelchner has assured his players that if they show the goods he will be the first to boost them for faster company. He will not hold them back, but will send them along and then look for others to develop. He has been particularly successful in taking rough diamonds and fashioning them. It's a good bet he'd have a player like Eddie Casey in the big league in a couple of seasons.

The management is being overwhelmed with letters from aspirants for baseball careers for try-outs. They've all read about Kelchner and want to tie up with him.

The Senators and White Sox have established a world's record for extra innings in three consecutive games. The Senators played 12 extra innings, and the White Sox played 11. The scores follow: Monday—Chicago 4, New York 3—11 innings. Tuesday—Chicago 6, Washington 5—13 innings. Wednesday—Washington 7, Chicago 4—11 innings. Thursday—Washington 2, Chicago 1—13 innings.

Kitty Bransfield, who is now umpiring in the New England league, may succeed Bill Dyer as coach of the Holy Cross baseball team. Dyer has resigned to devote all his time to business. Bransfield has strong backing. His home is in Worcester and he could do the job nicely. He may, however, be umpiring in the National league next season.

The New England league has not been a financial success this season. It is extremely doubtful if any club outside of Portland will make anything like a fair sum. Most of the clubs will lose money. The Lawrence club, which led the league the greater part of the season, has not made any money. The attendance at home has been satisfactory, but the expenses incurred on the road has eaten up the profits at home.

Fitchburg has done well. Worcester has been a big loser, as is proven by the fact that the team will play no more games at home this season. Lowell is behind and President Eugene B. Fraser of Lynn stated some time ago that Lynn would show a deficit. Lewiston and Manchester have lost heavily. Portland, Lawrence and Fitchburg, no doubt, made the best showing so far as money goes.

There will be changes in the circuit next season, if the amalgamation plan does not go through, then there will be a revision in the present league. The future of Worcester is uncertain. The Fitchburg club may be disposed of, but it is extremely doubtful if the business men of that city allow it to leave Fitchburg. Lewiston is liable to be in a new location and the same is true of Manchester.

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Hundreds of thousands of people yesterday afternoon looked on and cheered while 7000 men of the National Guard of Massachusetts, mobilized for the visiting governors, tramped through the streets of Boston equipped for duty and uniformed in the green-brown khaki of service, truly "marching as to war."

Never has Boston had such a parade. Probably there never was one seen by so many people, not even that when Admiral Dewey rode through the streets while the country was still ringing with cheers for his victory.

Not since Civil war days, certainly, has there been such a showing of Massachusetts soldiery, so free from the gaiety of display and so impressively pounding home with its measured tread the lesson that this country has men who know what their need may be and are ready for her call.

Of spangles and glitter there was none. Infantry, cavalry, artillery, coast defense, signal corps, hospital corps and wagon train all tramped, clattered and rumbled past with a stern message that scorned ornament. Save for the naval militia in white, all wore the dull khaki that wears well and shows little for an enemy's target.

Would Be Right There

Shoes to hat was the one unromantic color, leaving the faces shining clear and on most of them set lines as if to say "Well, if this were answering a call to my country's direst need, I should be right here."

The entire march was between solid-packed lines of people; grating, windows, balconies, roofs, were all crowded with watchers. Cheering and applause there was, yet not as much as of the sort which parades usually call forth. It was the quick, explosive kind from hearts that care more than they cheer, that feel a solemnity bred by daily realization that troublous times are ahead in the land.

Children lined the curb almost everywhere. To watch a child is often illuminating for children are unadorned in the arts of restraint and dissimulation. The children didn't clap their hands and shout in glee. They sat wide-eyed, wondering, with little faces revealing a trace of their feelings of the portentousness of things. When the artillery gun for gun, rumbled past, one lot, who half clung

LATE WAR NEWS

Muelheim in Baden and at Ivory and Gerges in the Argonne. There also have been reported explosives on St. Baunant and Essey in the Woeyre district.

German Air Raid

German airmen have made an attack with bombs on Clermont-en-Argonne.

French Take Trenches

The French front north of Sondermach in the Vosges has been straightened by the taking of several trenches which the Germans tried in vain to recapture. The French war office claims.

25,000 Miners Strike

Another strike of coal miners in South Wales again threatens to cause a coal shortage in the British Isles. Already 25,000 miners have gone out. The miners are dissatisfied with the arbitration award following the recent strike.

In the Dardanelles

Latest news from the Dardanelles come through the war office at Constantinople, which reports the repulse of weak attacks against the Turkish left wing at Seddul-Bahr.

British Steamer Sunk

The sinking of the British steamer Palm Grove, presumably by a German submarine, is reported by London. The crew was saved.

Greece Favors Allies

The first reported act the Venizelos ministry is reaching an agreement for greater trade privileges between Greece and the powers of the quadruple entente, with provision against re-exportation by Greece to the central powers or Turkey, is commented upon in Paris as arguing well for further negotiations.

AUSTRO-GERMANS DRIVE RUSSIANS BACK INTO WHITE RUSSIA

LONDON, Aug. 27, 12.17 p. m.—The Austro-German invaders have not only pressed their opponents into old Russia, beyond the political borders of ancient Poland, but have penetrated well beyond the district of Russia proper inhabited by the Poles. This enormous advance has now reached a stage in which the troops of Emperor Nicholas are fighting for existence on

the soil of White Russia, which for the first time during this war is feeling the effects of invasion.

The main object of the German attack around Brest-Litovsk for a number of days has been the railroad running eastward from the fortress toward Moscow. This line, with a branch running in a southeasterly direction, provides the means for Russian evacuation of the fortress. The Austro-German advance against this railroad has been so slow that it is believed here the evacuation was accomplished successfully before the fortress surrendered.

Serbia's Reply to Note

Serbia's reply to the note of the quadruple entente, which has not been made public although reported to have been delivered, evidently is awaited by the other Balkan states before they take further action. Doubts are now being cast on the accuracy of the report which was accepted yesterday, that a Turco-Bulgarian agreement had been signed.

Coal Crisis Feared

With 25,000 miners out in South Wales, England again faces the possibility of a coal crisis.

Submarines Destroyed

Although the admiralty thus far has not issued a report of the recent bombardment of Zeebrugge, on the Belgian coast, additional details of the damage inflicted continue to reach London. The latest despatch states that the harbor defenses were damaged seriously and several submarines were destroyed. Transference of considerable bodies of German troops from the eastern to the western front is reported in press despatches.

British Steamer Sunk

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FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Von Bernstorff tells Lansing the Berlin statement was intended to imply submarines have been ordered to sink no more merchantmen without warning.

Clearance papers refused to British steamer Winama at Norfolk News, which is armed with 4-inch gun.

British aviator destroys a German submarine off Ostend.

Italians take Austrian positions in mountains and on the Adriatic front.

Russian force Germans to retreat on Divinsk and Vilna fronts.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED

BRIDGE TRAIN FELL THROUGH BRIDGE NEAR PHOENIX, ARIZONA

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 27.—Four persons were killed and 12 injured when part of a north bound Alhambra, Top & Santa Fe passenger train from Phoenix to Prescott fell through a bridge at Date creek, 70 miles north of here, today.

The bridge had been weakened by a cloudburst. The engine passed over safely, then a span collapsed, plunging a smoking car into the stream.

WARMER WEATHER PROMISED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Weather bureau experts said today that the cold wave which covered the east today will last only till Sunday and Monday, and vanish into the Atlantic with summer close on its trail.

GOVERNORS' CONFERENCE

Continued

of South Carolina denigrated "lynch law" with his approval, provoked further discussion on the part of some who did not have an opportunity to voice their dissent to the "mob rule" sentiments expressed by him at the preceding session. Governor Walsh said that he objected to the statement of Bleese that "when mobs are no longer possible liberty will be dead."

"In my judgment," said the Massachusetts executive, "there can be no liberty without obedience to law."

State Control of Water Power

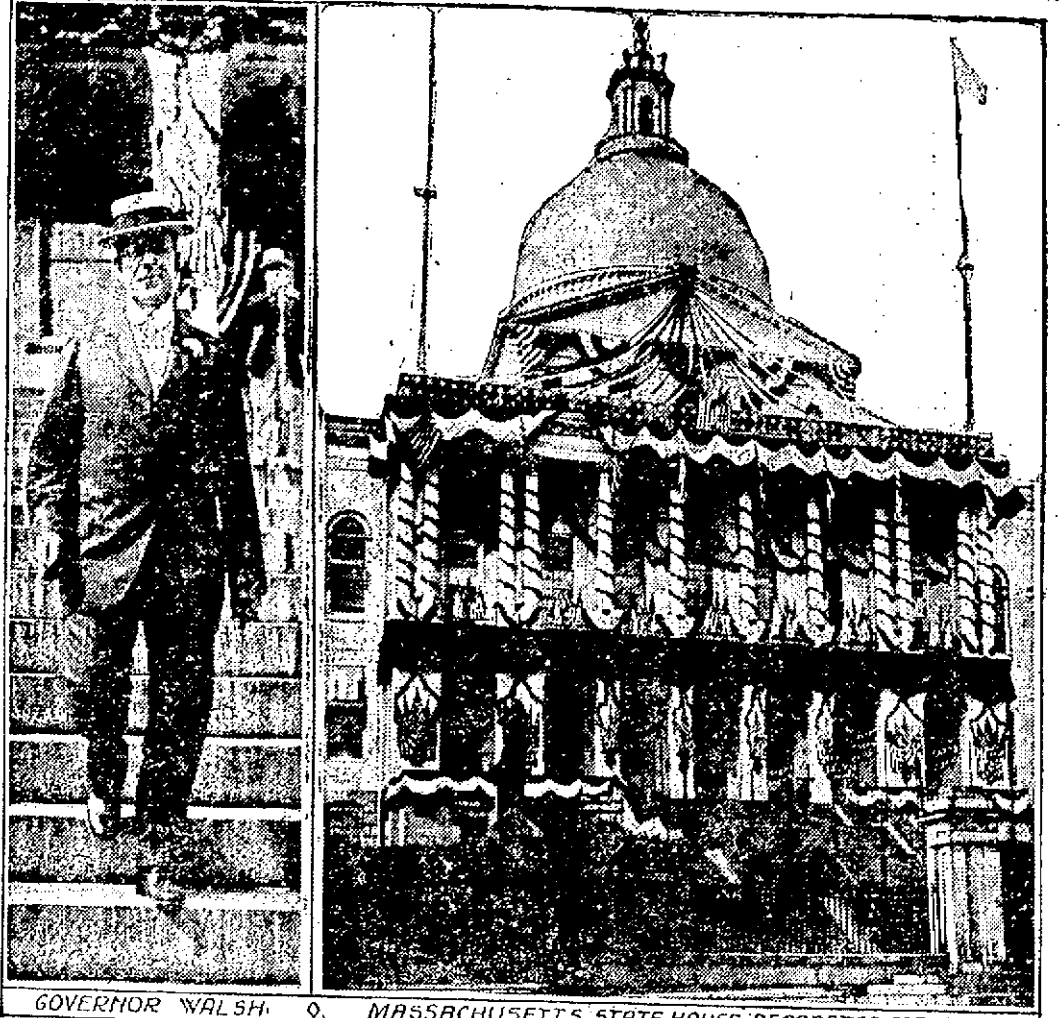
Former Gov. James H. Hawley of Idaho, who opened the discussion on conservation, favored state control of water power and other resources and said that the "Reveries Bill" introduced in the United States senate, and providing for federal control of water power development in the "public land" states of the west represented a dangerous encroachment upon the constitutional powers of the states and ought not to be passed.

Ex-Gov. Dix of New York

Former Governor of New York John A. Dix said that the true conservation was not a reformer but a restorer. "Due consideration," he said, "should

be given to show that even in the days when penalties inflicted for crime were most severe the extreme measures taken failed to suppress crime. Coming down to the present day he said:

"I am not going to attempt to support my arguments by elaborate quotations from statistics. There are certain figures, however, which are rather significant, if not conclusive. I refer to the statistics of the federal census bureau of 1910, with reference to the effect of the death penalty upon the commission of murder. These statistics show that in twenty-one of the states having the highest number of homicides per capita in the population, there is not a single state that has



Gov. Stuart of Virginia

Governor Stuart of Virginia said that Virginia was a conservative state and that her people stood first, last and all the time for a rigid enforcement of the laws.

Governor Walsh said that he had not intended to speak at the session but feared that his silence might be construed as indicating approval by the people of Massachusetts of what had been said before. He continued:

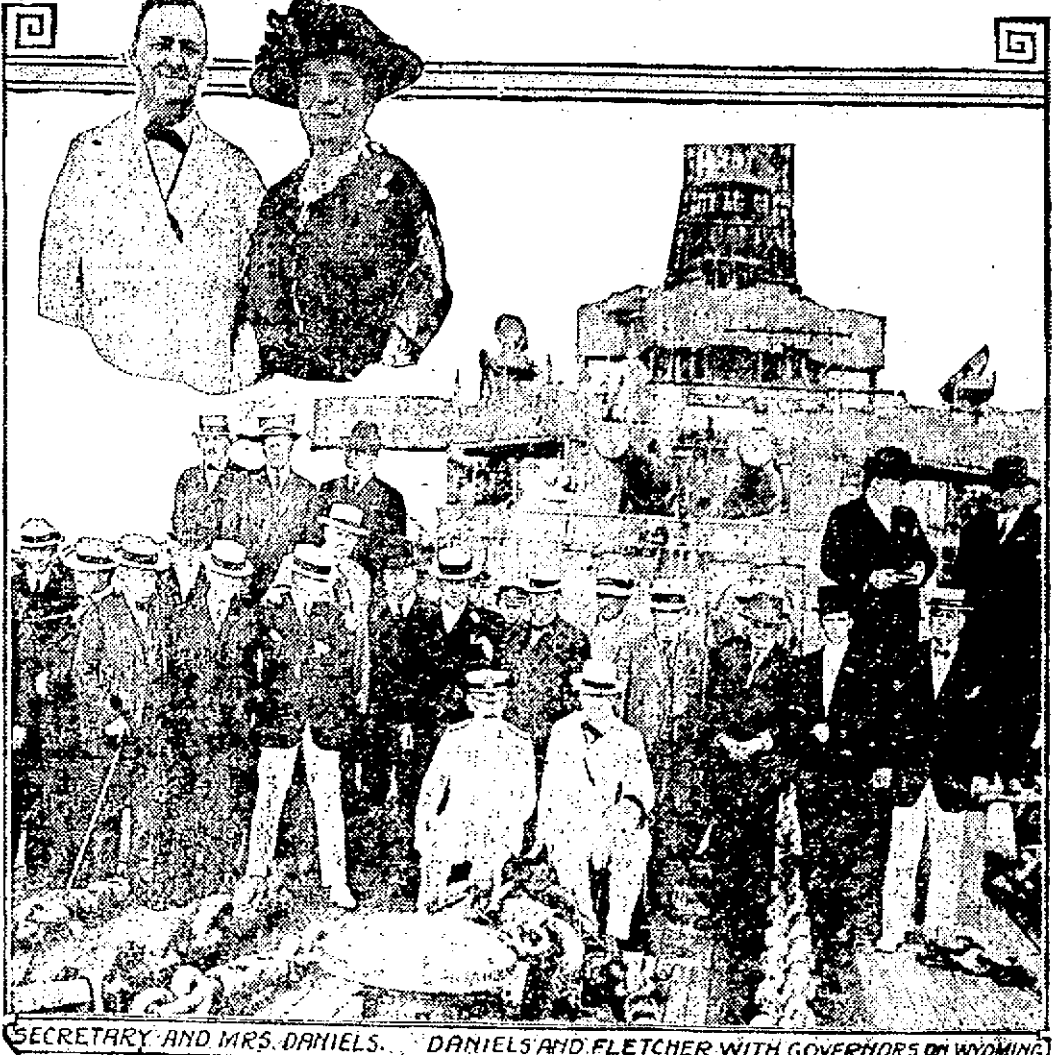
"In one of our courts in this state there is this inscription—Here speaketh the conscience of the state, restraining the individual will. The courts are the conscience of the community and the conscience of the community cannot be represented by a mob. There can be no liberty unless

abolished capital punishment. These twenty-one states are those which have enforced the death penalty from the time of the organization. Following these twenty-one states come three states, Illinois, Maryland and Kansas, all having the same number per capita of homicides. Of these states, Kansas has abolished the death penalty, Illinois and Maryland have retained it.

"Let us now consider the twenty states which these statistics show to have the lowest number of homicides per capita. Among these twenty, are all the states but one (Kansas) that have abolished capital punishment. The federal statistics, to my mind, show that capital punishment has failed to act as a deterrent, and that in the states where it has been abo-

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the courts continue to have the confidence of the people."

Gov. Stuart in the course of his remarks said that the men of the south had some problems which were peculiarly their own and they of Virginia like to think that they were meeting them. "Laws," he added, are but a reflection of public sentiment which in almost all cases is but a reflection of public necessity."

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and encourage enlistments, and should be given a proper respect for the uniform. The government should expend a large sum for the militia of the states.

"Congress will undoubtedly act at its next session and the course it should pursue must be shaped by sane and safe arguments, and not by the ideas of extremists."

Against Capital Punishment

Governor Edward F. Dunne, of Illinois, addressed the conference of governors yesterday in favor of the abolition of capital punishment, which he pronounced "wrong in theory and in fact." He said the principal argument advanced by the supporters of capital punishment was that it acted as a crime deterrent but he doubted that it ever had deterred or that it now deterred. He cited a number of incidents

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"Up to 1913, six states had abolished capital punishment. Washington followed in that year. The United States statistics of 1910, show that five of these are among the twenty with the lowest per capita of homicides, each with a percentage less than .03 in each 10,000 of population. The other non-capital punishment state, Kansas, had the same per capita of homicides as Illinois and Maryland, both capital punishment states.

"Illinois was disgraced by 651 homicides in 1910, after a century of enforcement of capital punishment, which in Wisconsin, where it had been abolished, the homicides have not been

PERSONALS

Mrs. H. E. Bean of Osgood street is visiting relatives in Glen Falls, N. Y.

Miss Ella L. Gale is visiting her sister in New York city.

Mrs. A. Sugden will spend the next two weeks at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. William Bennett and daughter, Florence, are spending their vacation at Providence and Pawtucket, R. I.

Miss Jennette McKee of 81 Varney street, will spend her vacation at Woodstock, N. H.

Miss Mary Meehan of Broadway is spending her vacation at Peabody and Lynn beach.

Misses Josephine O'Brien, Mrs. Bradley and Jennie Hamel visited friends in Chelsea yesterday afternoon.

Miss Tena Cummings, president of the Bellevue Girls, is spending two weeks with friends in Salem Willows and Peabody.

John J. Burns, manager of the Glubridge department store, is in New York selecting the latest novelties for the fall and winter trade.

The Campfire Girls of Westford are camping at Dapit pond, South Chelmsford, and are chaperoned by Mrs. John P. Wright.

Rev. Mr. Woodbury and family have returned to Lowell after a pleasant vacation spent at their old home in Nashua, N. H.

Misses Margaret Mills, Elizabeth Hurley, Grace Dubuque and Gertrude Crane will sojourn at Salisbury beach next week.

Dr. Thomas F. Harrington of Boston, formerly of this city, has been dangerously ill, but today's reports state that his condition is much better.

Miss Madeline Hartigan of the A. G. Pollard store has returned from a pleasant vacation spent in Worcester and Springfield.

Miss Catherine Cullen of Minneapolis, Minn., who spent a month in Lowell, three years ago, returned to this city yesterday for an indefinite stay with her aunt, Mrs. F. K. A. Hurlbut of Fort Hill avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Willmott of Boston, have returned home after a week spent with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lawrence of Beacon street.

Mrs. J. Munrovan and family are enjoying the sea breezes at their cottage at Salisbury beach. Their guests include Master Joseph and the Misses Margaret and Marie Reynolds.

Mrs. William H. Burke and daughter, Grace, and Miss Mary C. Leary of Hatfield, are the guest of Miss Helen F. Riley of Wameit. Miss Riley teaches school in Hatfield and will resume her teaching there on September 7.

Fred Cummings, city editor of the Haverhill Gazette, with City Editor James H. Mannix of the Newburyport News, visited Lowell yesterday. Mr. Cummings asserts that Lowell has greatly improved, architecturally and otherwise during the dozen years since he left it.

40,000 SEE FIREWORKS

DISPLAY FEATURED BY LIKENESS OF WASHINGTON, WILSON, WALSH AND CURLEY

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—More than 40,000 persons last evening thronged Boston common to view the magnificent pyrotechnic display that found a fitting conclusion to a day fraught with memorable features—all in honor of the visiting governors, the guests of the state.

People from all sections of Greater Boston began to assemble on the common as early as 6 o'clock. Through a misty it had been announced that the display of fireworks was to commence promptly at 7 o'clock, and this accounted for the early gathering of the people.

The huge crowd collected early in the evening spent some time visiting the camps of the militiamen near the Charles street side of the common and watched the volunteer army cooks prepare the evening meals.

Moore's Military band opened the evening festivities with a short concert about 7.30 o'clock. The display of fireworks, that began at 8.15, was one of the finest ever seen in Boston.

The features of the pyrotechnics were set pieces of George Washington, President Wilson, Governor Walsh, Mayor Curley and the American flag. The set pieces of the executives were generously applauded by the multitude. The fireworks display concluded at 10 o'clock and terminated a remarkably active day for those who followed the general holiday program.

SUN BRIEVITIES

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg.

Goodale's delicious, healthful Dandelion, for sale at all soda fountains.

Copies of the general and special acts and resolves passed by the Massachusetts legislature during the session of 1915 may now be obtained at the office of the city clerk.

Miss O'Leary of the Kirk street home wants to purchase the Howe estate, corner of Summer and Thorndike streets, for the Children's home. If she can raise the money, the property in which the present home on Kirk street is located is assessed for \$5000.

Dr. Fred P. Murphy was operated upon at St. John's hospital yesterday as the result of a mosquito bite, the operation being performed on the index finger of the left hand. The doctor was bitten by a mosquito and a short time later inflammation set in, involving the whole hand and threatening further trouble. The wound was lanced at the hospital by Dr. James F. Loughran with good results.

Charles I. Baine, general secretary-treasurer of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union, who is expected to speak in this city within a short time before the principal speakers at a social meeting to be held by the Kansas local, week from tonight. He will be accompanied to the up-river city by a number of the members of the local organization.

Anthony Vesta of 17 Plain street, this city, a chauffeur, reported to the Lawrence police yesterday that while operating his automobile on Haverhill street, near the corner of West in that city Monday evening, about 6 o'clock he collided with a boy named Samuel Goldstein, who was riding a bicycle, knocking him to the ground. He said he picked the boy up and carried him to the office of a physician named Dr. Schwartz, where an examination showed that he had sustained slight bruises on his shoulder and elbow. He was later removed to his home in Mr. Vesta's machine.

FOR WINTER CAMPAIGN

GERMAN ARMY AND NAVY DEPARTMENTS HAVE SUFFICIENT SUPPLY OF CLOTHING

BERLIN, Aug. 27. (By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The Overseas News agency says:

"The army and navy departments announce that a sufficient supply of woolen garments, shawls, underwear, socks, fur coats, gloves and ear protectors for all requirements of the winter campaign have been provided."

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Corned Beef, per lb. 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c

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Small Malves of Hams, per lb. 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c

Pork Chops, per lb. 14c, 16c, 18c

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\$15 Raincoats for \$8.50

\$2.00 Soft Hats for 98c

Etc., Etc.